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## AMONG THE FARMERS.

"SPEED THE PLOW."

### Water Lilies.

A shady nook, a bit of marsh,
A blackbird singing somewhere nigh,
And lilies resting on a pool,
Under an August sky.

A ripple of the summer breeze,
A red-winged blackbird's noisy call,
White lilies blooming in the shade—
And that is all.

—Claribel Weeks Avery.

### Botany of Beekeeping.

Beekeeping is an interesting calling aside from the remuneration of it. Not only the bees themselves but the nectar and pollen they gather. Mrs. Josephine Morse, a Massachusetts beekeeper and observer, has followed up the botanical end of the business and given some interesting notes on it, some of which follow:

"Bees in their flights follow the valleys to a great extent. Whether the hills cut off the scent, or the bees just don't like to climb, I don't know; but it seems to be a fact that there must be something very enticing on the other side to make bees fly over a high hill.

"Observation of flora, requisite to production of a maximum crop of honey, is one of the pleasantest activities connected with beekeeping. If all our bees are in one place—and that at home—it may not take us far afield, but we shall find that, in covering the territory within a radius of a mile or a mile and a half of our bees, we shall make many discoveries and see many interesting things. Especially is this true through the visits being at different periods throughout the season, and particularly so if one lives in the country. We shall be astounded that only a half-mile from home there can exist a thicket in which we never before set foot; or a clearing in the woods, maybe; or a part of the swamp never before explored—just through force of habit and lack of a sufficiently strong magnet to draw us there. A note-book, in which are jotted down the dates of blooming of different honey plants, will be interesting to compare from year to year.

"Some years an entirely new nectar source will appear, such as wild carrot (Queen Anne's lace), which the next year may be entirely non-productive. Nectar secretion is dependent on certain conditions of atmosphere—temperature and humidity—also the seasonal conditions of soil and plants which vary so much from one year to the next. It is interesting to try to find out about this.

"Perhaps there is a big blueberry pasture down back of the house from which the bees produce that wonderful, thick, rich honey, dark amber in color, with a reddish tinge and a superlative flavor. This will need occasional inspections to see just when it is going to bloom. Blueberry and huckleberry bushes like an acid soil and seem to love many of the stony New England hillsides where the bushes often mingle with those of the sumac, which blooms later and furnishes a pleasant honey, light in color and of a rather greenish shade. To my taste, the blueberry honey is the honey "par excellence" of New England. Maybe the clover honey producers of Vermont will take exceptions to this statement, but nevertheless I do not retract it. The color is certainly characteristic of most Massachusetts honey, for here we do not get many of the rapid, heavy honey flows which commonly give light honey. Though we do sometimes get a splendid light aromatic honey from apple bloom (if the weather is warm and favorable) and in certain sections, notably on Cape Cod, get a tremendous flow in early August from clethra, most of our honey flows are not very heavy but last some time and dribble along through the whole summer, from the early maples through the goldenrod and aster bloom. Unless honey from the different honey flows is very carefully kept separate, the producer of honey in Massachusetts will find his main stock of extracted honey of a decidedly dark-amber hue.

"In my locality, the willows and poplars blooming in early April yield the first pollen and nectar of the season; then come the elms and different varieties of maple. In early May we have fruit bloom; first the plum, then the cherry, the pear, and finally most important of all, the apple about May 10. This bloom never lasts more than two weeks, and the weather is often too cool for much surplus production. Soon after this, the blueberries and huckleberries bloom, some years yielding very plentifully. My next honey comes from alsike clover the second week in June. After the sumac, there is ordinarily a lack of nectar coming in through the last weeks of July. In August I have a nectar source quite uncommon in this country—heather. Real Scotch heather! And three or four acres of it only a quarter of a mile away from my home apiary! It grows on a large estate and is carefully propagated in the greenhouse, then set out on once-wooded hillsides from which the brush is cut away and kept cut so the plants will not be smothered. I never have secured a surplus from it, as it comes just at a time when the bees' stores are somewhat depleted, and it is almost entirely stored in the brood chamber and used in rearing the brood. Occasionally I find a little in the supers—enough so that the honey when extracted is dark and muddy colored, somewhat resembling honeydew in appearance. A light scattering of clethra comes into bloom at this time as well as other plants forming minor honey sources. The last honey plants of the season are the goldenrod, accompanied or closely followed by the little fine aster. The honey of the former is a real gold in color and of good flavor when well ripened. Aster honey is quite light but can almost never be secured unblended. Other parts of New England get a surplus from white or sweet clover, from wild raspberry and from linden or basswood."

### Freak Farms.

The Department of Agriculture in Washington investigates many things and sometimes comes upon unusual finds. Among them was a hedgehog farm (or porcupine farm as purists insist) in the county of Oxford, and a rattlesnake farm—down in Brownfield, Texas. W. A. King, proprietor of this institution, says his farm has a capacity for 18,000 snakes; that at present he has 10,000 snakes; and that during the past year he has sold 20,000 snakes. The price for the reptiles ranges from fifty cents up. He sells snakes and snake-oil. He also supplies venom to institutes all over the world for scientific purposes. His snakes go all over the world too. He has just shipped twenty snakes to London. The rattlers are kept in specially constructed buildings and fed by machines a mixture of meat and eggs.

There is one way in which a dairyman is justified in putting water into his milk; that is, by giving the cow all she can drink of clean, pure water. Cows are naturally heavy drinkers, and in many cases they get insufficient good water, both in winter and in summer. In winter they have to drink through a hole in the ice and consume less than they need, and in summer they have access to a stagnant pool. A good water system both for man and beast is highly desirable on the farm.

Farm wood lots offer a splendid opportunity for growing timber crops. It is estimated that there are 150,000,000 acres now in farm wood lots, which if placed under sound forestry methods would yield substantial revenues to their owners, as well as lumber to help relieve the timber shortage which has already begun to be felt.

We used to keep butter in the cistern, but to-day we have ice making machines.

### The Blueberry State.

"Maine has the foundation for a great industry, but up to the present time it is allowed to run wild, and, so far as I know, no attempts have ever been made to improve this industry and bring it up to a high state of excellency where the financial returns will undoubtedly more than double what is now being realized," says Frederick V. Colville, botanist of the United States Department of Agriculture.

"This industry I refer to is the cultivation of the blueberry. There are no cultivated blueberries in Maine. They are allowed to run wild. Here is the foundation for a great paying industry that is now being left to the whims of nature. To illustrate to show cultivation of the blueberry pays it can be stated that, on an acre of land in Whitesbog, N. J., the average yield in 1915, was a little over six bushels with an estimated value of $37.00. Under cultivation now yields about 118 bushels to the acre with an approximate value of $1,300.

"The introduction of the blueberry into agriculture has a much more profound significance than the mere addition of one more agricultural industry to those already in existence. Blueberries thrive best in soils so acid as to be considered worthless for ordinary agricultural products. Blueberry cultivation not only promises to add to the general welfare through the utilization of land almost valueless otherwise, but it also offers a profitable industry to individual landowners in certain districts in which general agricultural conditions are especially hard and unpromising, and it suggests the possibility of further utilization of such lands by means of other crops adapted to acid conditions."

According to figures furnished by C. G. Woodbury of the National Canners' Association Research Laboratory, Maine leads all states in the blueberry canning industry. During the year the number of cases of blueberries canned in Maine totalled 100,409, with an estimated value of $667,246. Michigan comes next with 25,738 cases valued at $111,144. The State of Washington follows with 15,199 cases, valued at $71,117. All other states, 9,004 cases, valued at $64,314.

While Maine has the monopoly in the canning of blueberries it is Mr. Colville's contention that this industry, as well as sending fresh blueberries to the market can be more than doubled under proper cultivation. He considers the cultivation of the blueberry a golden opportunity for Maine people to reap big financial returns.

Under cultivation the little blueberry becomes almost as large as plums, yet they retain all their brilliancy of taste, and cause people to eagerly search the markets for them. Some of the cultivated blueberries Mr. Colville has measured thirteen-sixteenth of an inch in diameter. This size was brought about through cultivation. With the increase in size market value of the blueberry has increased. Mr. Colville claims, by using proper methods in cultivating the blueberry, the larger sized ones do not lose any of the peculiar, yet pleasing fragrance and freshness of the wild blueberry, but on the other hand these qualities are greatly enhanced.

It will take too much space to go into details of what can be done with the blueberry. By writing Frederick V. Colville, botanist, Bureau of Plant Industry, United States Department of Agriculture, Washington, D. C., full information can be obtained of how to make the blueberry one of the most profitable crops on a farm. Mr. Colville is a blueberry enthusiast, and is surprised Maine people do not extend and improve an industry that nature has thrown into their hands.

### Blister Rust News.

The experience of the past 7 years in controlling the white pine blister rust has proven conclusively that control measures pay well. Protection is accomplished by the destruction of all kinds of wild and cultivated currants and gooseberry bushes, within 900 feet of the pines. These bushes spread the disease but at greater distance are seldom seriously destructive to pines. No other plants spread the blister rust to white pine and the disease can not spread directly from pine to pine.

In the northeastern states, the cost of destroying currant and gooseberry bushes averaged about 20 cents per acre, last year. This low cost represents the average expenditure for cleaning up large areas in the different States. The cost of protecting the individual pine lot may be more or less, depending largely on the number of bushes to be uprooted, the character of the ground to be covered and the efficiency of individuals doing the work. Where effective control work is done re-eradication will not be necessary for at least 5 to 10 years or longer, except perhaps in local areas where the bushes were originally very numerous.

Assuming re-eradication necessary in 5 years, the cost of protection per acre would amount to 4 or 5 cents per year. According to U. S. Forest Service figures the average even aged, fully stocked white pine lot should yield by its 40th year at least 23,500 board feet, while stands on best sites should yield 32,800 board feet. At a stumpage rate of $10.00 per thousand board feet, this 40 year old pine would be worth from $235 to $328 per acre. At 5 cents per year for protection from the blister rust, the cost for 40 years would be but $2.00 per acre on protected areas, plus interest charges. This leaves a net income of $233 to $326 from the land, whereas on unprotected areas the value of the crop would be seriously reduced by blister rust, and in areas where currants and gooseberries are abundant, the rust would cause a total loss of the crop.

### A Rare Weed.

Bowdoinham, Maine, has the distinction of possessing the only specimens of a certain kind of weed, the Sium Suave, found in any section of the country. This weed was discovered by Norman C. Fassett of Harvard college, member of the New England Botanical club. Now at Harvard in a special corner by itself, one finds mounted specimens of this weed, together with another rare specimen, found in Bowdoinham that is usually native to New Zealand. In Mr. Fassett's description of this weed, he states * * * "Found on the tidal mud flats of the Cathance river, Bowdoinham, Sept. 14 and 16, M. L. Fernald and Bayard Long." Then the special variety of this same weed is mentioned. "Found in Bowdoinham, tidal estuary of the Cathance river, Bowdoinham, Aug. 25 to 31, 1921, N. C. Fassett." Although the leaves are frequently valuable as to size and shape, the form is clearly marked and different from any other material to be found in the Gray Herbarium. Growing in the soft mud of Cathance river, and covered twice a day by fresh water, it sends up to the nodes clusters of a half dozen or more leaves, most of which are reduced to rounded terminal leaflets. These appear to be secondary leaves and rise from the axils of the primary ones, which are sometimes normal or reduced to one leaf which is elongate and inconspicuous. In the more extreme forms, the secondary leaves rise from rather conspicuous hardened corms, which at once suggest bulbs, but no evidence could be found of their ever becoming detached from the parent plant to act in any reproduction function.

The first permit for the importation of the eggs of game birds under the regulations governing this entry under the new tariff act was issued by the Biological Survey of the United States Department of Agriculture on June 27, 1923. The importation of 39 canvasback duck eggs from Calgary, Canada, to Salt Lake City, Utah, was allowed.

When a man is so mean that he will feed moldy fodder to a blind horse he has about reached the limit.

## NORWAY.

Misses Lena and Gladys Smith are the guests of their sister, Mrs. Ada Kilgore.

Mr. and Mrs. Hugh Pendexter, Jr., of Manchester, N. H., are the guests of his parents, Mr. and Mrs. Hugh Pendexter.

Mr. and Mrs. Wallace Sheen and Mr. and Mrs. Earl Boothby of Limerick were recent visitors in town.

Mr. and Mrs. Gaillard Oliver and three children of Lynn, Mass., were recent guests of Mr. and Mrs. Frank Lovejoy.

Rev. and Mrs. E. E. Brooks of Bath are spending their vacation in Norway with Mrs. Brooks' parents, Mr. and Mrs. Charles Gammon.

A United States Service Commission examination for the position of rural mail carrier in Norway and vacancies which may later occur will be held at the high school building at 9 o'clock in the forenoon, September 8.

There was no mid-week service at the Methodist church last week and no service Sunday, as the pastor, Rev. T. C. Chapman, and many of the parishioners were in attendance at the Empire Grove Campmeeting.

Mrs. Stephen B. Cummings recently entertained a few friends in honor of Mrs. Elinor Jones and her friend, Mrs. Bates of Brookline, Mass. The other guests were Misses Elizabeth and Agnes Beal, Mrs John Woodman, Mrs. Mary Cole and Mrs. Frank E. DeCoster.

Mr. and Mrs. Arthur Tucker and Mrs. Ellen Tucker were in Farmington for a day or two recently.

Guests at Dr. C. C. Godfrey's cottage on the lake, "Meda Lodge," have been Tyler Olcott, secretary of the American Association of the Variable Star; Ernest C. Alden, superintendent of the Baron Hirsch Trade School, New York City; Dr. Edwin S. Eames, botanist, and member of the committee on the Connecticut flora; and Robert Upson, pomologist, of Marion, Conn. Dr. Godfrey and Mr. Alden are members of the American Astronomical Society.

Miss Caroline Trowbridge of Brevard, N. C., has been visiting Miss Maud Pike. Miss Trowbridge is a teacher in the Brevard Institute.

Mrs. Ralph Kneeland and son Walter of West Somerville, Mass., are spending a few weeks with her mother, Mrs. Emma Mann, and brother, Maford Mann.

Everett Bethell of Boston is visiting town.

Mr. and Mrs. Gordon Noyes, Miss Della Noyes and Miss Gertrude Gardner recently motored to Turner to visit the Misses Zilpha and Stella Prince, of Redlands, Calif., who are visiting relatives in that town. The Misses Prince were for a number of years in the dry goods business in Norway.

Mr. and Mrs. Albion Buck were in Portland last week, where Mr. Buck was under observation and treatment at the Eye and Ear Infirmary.

Mr. and Mrs. W. W. Andrews of Portland, who are spending the summer on the lake front, spent several days last week with their son, D. B. Andrews, in Rumford. On their return to Norway they were accompanied by their daughters, Misses Marguerite and Catherine, who had been visiting in Rumford.

Miss Doris Bradbury of Buckfield is visiting her grandparents, Mr. and Mrs. Thomas Bradbury.

Mrs. F. E. Martin and two children of Portland, and Master Albert Carroll, Jr., of Auburn are guests of Mr. and Mrs. Ray Frost.

Mr. and Mrs. Scott Truman and Mrs. John Prince recently made a motor trip through the White Mountains.

Miss Eulalie Davis of Portland is spending two weeks with her friend, Miss Ethel I. Bradbury, at the lake.

(Additional Norway locals on page 3.)

### Not Original With Izaak Walton.

*To the Editor of the Democrat:*

In a local item in the Democrat of July 31, you say that Izaak Walton liked strawberries so well that "he gave vent to the classic expression, 'Doubtless God could have made a better berry than the strawberry, but doubtless God never did.'" If by that statement you mean that that "classic expression" was original with Izaak Walton, you are in error. While Walton used the expression, he did not originate it, but quoted it from "Dr. Boteler". The passage in which he quoted the expression, crediting it to "Dr. Boteler" as the author of it, is in the fifth chapter of his work entitled "The Complete Angler," and is as follows: "We may say of angling as Dr. Boteler said of strawberries, 'Doubtless God could have made a better berry, but doubtless God never did.'" The "Dr. Boteler" thus referred to by Walton as having given utterance to that "classic expression" regarding strawberries is generally thought to have been William Butler, an eminent English physician. Thomas Fuller, D. D., in his work entitled "The History of the Worthies of England", highly extols Dr. Butler, terming him the "Æsculapius of our age." Dr. Butler was born in Ipswich, Eng., in 1535, and died in Cambridge, Eng., in 1618.

OBSERVER.

### Oxford County Notes.

A marriage is to take place this month which may be of general interest to Oxford County people. One of the contracting parties is a native of Canton but lives outside that town at present. This couple are Ralph W. Blanchard of Boston and Miss Grace Kipka of North Carolina. The chief point of general interest is that directly after the wedding they will sail for China, where they expect to do missionary work for the next five years. Mr. Blanchard is now at the Deaconess Hospital, Brookline, Mass., where he had his leg operated on for an injury received during the World War. He is the son of the late Rev. and Mrs. W. W. Blanchard, former residents of Canton.

Earle P. Gregory of Fryeburg has been named by Governor Baxter as medical examiner for Oxford County.

One of the interesting events of the year in Oxford County Scouting is scheduled for the week of August 27th. The Automobile Hike through Maine, New Hampshire and Vermont promises a wonderful trip both in interest and scouting instruction. Executive Harold C. Perham is in charge of this hike and plans for a variety of real stuff such as climbing Mt. Washington and visiting the various spots of interest in this playground of the east. Forest fire prevention, first aid and practical-out-of doors scouting will be heavily stressed. Every scout to carry a match safe—safety first. All roads lead to Bethel, for the start at 10:30, Monday morning August 27th. No definite route is given as yet, only that the trip will carry through Maine, New Hampshire, Vermont and back by way of the coast—Old Orchard and Portland. Each troop will provide its own automobile or automobiles for transportation.

### Baptist Fair.

The following are the different committees for the Baptist Ladies' Aid fair to be held in November in South Paris:

Food Table—Annie Dudley, Effie Adkins, Mary Stuart, Lulu Rand, Mrs. Joseph Horr, Dora Tyler, Eva Parlin.

Candy Table—Margaret Taylor, Sarah Kenniston, Helen Morton, Pauline Hayden, Angie Churchill, Marion Dean, Hattie Dennison, Phyllis Dodge.

Fancy Table—Julia Morton, Mrs. Marshall Weeks, Flora Murch, Luella Morton, Ada Churchill, Madge Stuart, Eva Titus, Mellie Jones.

Apron Table—Lucella Morton, Annie Edwards, Katie Ames, Dorcas Cutting, Mary Crockett, Mrs. Bryant, Lucy Dean.

Rummage Table—Villa West, Mrs. Wyman, Mrs. Ed Murch, Mrs. Clara Whittle, Mrs. John Titus, Mrs. Mildred Irvine.

Mystery Table—Laura Burke, Inez Hollis, Mabel Whitman, Ida Hemingway, Mrs. Ralph Sturtevant, Dorothy Dennison, Frances West.

### Paris Hill Country Club Fair.

The gods, Roman and otherwise, favored the Country Club Fair. The weather was superb, and all roads led to Paris Hill.

The Country Club Fair marks the height of the season. Everything leads up to it. Tennis tournaments have clashed with golf dittos; twosomes, foursomes and then some with obstacles have whetted sporting blood; frivolous dances have stepped on the toes of staid bridge parties, all as stimulants for this grand carnival. Everybody has been more or less insane about it, and yet, when the sunlit sixteenth arrived out of the dun dog day weather preceding it, everybody turned out smilingly and had a perfectly elegant time.

No one could doubt it was a gala day, for on approaching the Country Club grounds there appeared to be a traffic jam, with cars parked on both sides of the street for some little distance on either side of the grounds; and if one observed the number plates, it did not take him long to discover that the cars were not those owned locally only but were from New Hampshire, Massachusetts, Connecticut, New York, Pennsylvania, and one even from far-off Texas.

The grounds were very prettily decorated for the occasion, and the goods displayed filled the club house and run out over the grounds. They began on the front porch, where Mrs. Kate Hammond had a collection of garden products. The four rooms comprising the body part of the house were occupied by the departments devoted to fancy work, gifts, aprons, household articles, which were varied, useful many of them, and all of them handsome; and good if one is thinking of candy.

The ladies presiding over these rooms were:

Fancy Work and Gifts—Mrs. D. M. Stewart, Mrs. Walter L. Gray, Leslie L. Mason, Mrs. Stella M. Lunt, Mrs. Mira C. Snow, Mrs. Helen H. Carlson, E. P. Collier, Mrs. Mary I. Davies, Mrs. George M. Atwood, Mrs. Henry W. Lyon, chairman.

Aprons and Household Articles—Mrs. Lewis M. Brown, Carroll I. Hooper, Henry W. Nieman, Mrs. Janie N. Thompson, Mrs. Jessie B. Potter, Charles L. Reid, Col. Edward T. Brown, Miss Agnes M. Brown, Mrs. Mary B. Carter, chairman.

Candy—Mrs. Kimball C. Atwood, Jr., Miss Grace Collier, Miss Eleanor Collier, Mrs. Orland Daniels, Mrs. Charles Gragg, Miss Gertrude Brooks, chairman.

On the wide side porch were arranged a number of small tables, where parties could sit, eat ice cream, sip cold drinks, and watch the white cumulus masses above the Oxford County foothills melt into a purple background.

Stepping down from the porch on to the wide terrace and walking to the end of the buildings, one came to Children's Street walled off with artistic decoration, the work of James L. Thompson, the local artist. Here were toys of every kind and a fish pond in which the children could try their luck. Those presiding over this reservation were Mrs. Leonard Ashton, Miss Mary A. Pierce, Miss Jean C. McKinney, Mrs. Olive T. Lunt, Mrs. Annabel Marr, Miss Mary P. Burchfield, chairman.

Farther along one was arrested by a dangerous looking three-sided sign, as if one was approaching a railroad crossing. It was dangerous. It was a shooting gallery—the "Gee-Whizz" shooting gallery. There was another thing within this enclosure, which was decorated with flags and penants. It was a memory test. One could observe a number of things about the walls and on coming out could take a piece of paper (price ten cents) and write down what he had seen, or what he could remember of what he had seen, and the one remembering best could get a silver pitcher.

Across the grassy avenue rose a picture poster on one corner of which was this assemblage of Roman letters and numerals:

AVGVST XVI
MCMXXIII

So this was the famous Rag Fair
With Signora herself serving there;
She sold silverplate—
Did it up while you wait—
And took in the mun at the Fair.

Rome has always been a cosmopolitan city, and this little transplanted bit took on the same character. There were people from everywhere but somewhat Italianized. The women were all arrayed in the warm colors of the Mediterranean. The only sombre figure in the group was Dante Fillippo, a Dago-Jew, who sold books. He might have been Aben Ezra, for he had the whole Talmud printed on his back. Some frequenters of this enclosure were mean enough to say if they could only catch Dante and give him a shave, he would be found to be a Paris production although they would probably spell the name with two Rs.

There was a Hindoo about the place—Lall Ramm, who dealt in vandoo.

In the rear of the fair enclosure was the altar of Flamma Fortuna, where every one tried his or her fortune—mostly his, just because a new moon sailed in the August sky, which was willing to be a "calf-moon," or "vamp-moon" just as the case demanded. Most of the old men burned red fire just to persuade themselves they were not too old for adventures in love and war. The young men burned white, because dozing by the fire was a long way off.

At the end of the street, like "The End of a Perfect Day," on a bit of oriental rug danced Bianca Fascinata—a symphony in red. She posed, poised, whirled, graceful as a Swallow (Miss Helen, if you please.)

And so the crowd lounged about the grounds, bought uncertain goods of young Carlson—no, I guess it was young Sandro, from his push-cart; or of little Tito Romano, who carried a miniature "Our Store" on a tray. They took a chance at Harold Neal's miniature obstacles, or on the set itself; and watched the tennis battle, commanded by Dr. D. M. Stewart, which commenced Wednesday and raged two days. So they lounged until the westering sun cast long shadows across the grounds, and suggested it was better to repair to the club house, where a cafeteria lunch had been prepared by the following ladies: Miss Jeannie Hubbard, Miss Sara E. Nieman, Mrs. Robert Bickford, Mrs. Lois Curtis Clark, Roger Davis, Dr. J. G. Littlefield, Irving O. Barrows, Mrs. Emma T. Hubbard, Mrs. Clayton K. Brooks, chairman.

Those who took part in the Roman Rag Fair were Miss Adelaide T. Case, Miss Mary C. Case, Miss Mary Mitchell, Miss Gertrude Brinckle, Miss Louise Diman, Miss Helen Sparrow, Miss Barbara Brooks, Mrs. Frank Case, Edward L. Parris, Jr., Miss Harriette H. Winslow, chairman.

So the shades of evening fell, when the party repaired to the porch to jazz to the latest hits of Shaw's Orchestra.

It would be unfair to close an account of the fair without acknowledging the committee who so amply provided entertainment consisting of Dr. D. M. Stewart, Thomas Huston, Kimball C. Atwood, Jr., William Brooks, Charles T. Reid, Arthur K. Shaw, Leonard C. Ashton, Orland H. Daniels, Mrs. Hugh Pendexter, Miss Emily P. Bissell, Miss Ruth Cummings, Miss Julia F. Carter, Roger Davis, chairman.

Or the advertising committee: George M. Atwood, Charles H. Rogers, Clayton K. Brooks, Clyde T. Shaw, Harry M. Shaw, Mrs. Clayton K. Brooks, Mrs. Roger Davis, Miss Sara E. Nieman, chairman.

Belle Isle light shines again on Lake Cobbosseecontee. The late Dr. Bailey of Philadelphia, who passed his summers at his cottage on Belle Isle, built the lighthouse, using Island cedars, and he dedicated the light to Moses and Lavinia Briggs. As long as Dr. Bailey lived, the light shone brightly on summer nights, but since his death seven years ago, the cottage has been occupied but little. This summer the cottage is occupied by the family of A. Edward Kelsey, who for many years has been a missionary to Palestine. He has made some repairs to the lighthouse and proposes to keep it shining across the water of the lake at night during his stay there.

## Carrie Had a Date

By ELAINE N. LE CLAIR

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For at least five minutes there had been silence in the Carr living room. Silence, save for the crackling of a log in the fireplace and the ticking of the clock on the mantel above the fireplace. Mrs. Carr's fingers still plied the long knitting needles, but the rest of her was practically asleep. Mr. Carr, from his place beside the study lamp, looked across at his wife. He rustled the pages of his evening paper. He cleared his throat.

"Mother!"

"Yes, Henry." Her eyes opened and, with a jerk, she sat upright. "Yes, Henry?"

"Seems to me it's time Carrie was home."

"Carrie?" Mrs. Carr rubbed her eyes.

"Yes, Carrie; she's out."

"Oh, yes. I guess I must have dozed off," she said apologetically. "Why, she ought to be home most any time now."

"She ought to have been home two hours ago. It's ridiculous, a schoolgirl of her age being allowed to stay up all hours of the night. When I was—"

"Yes," Mrs. Carr interrupted wearily. She had heard it all so often before. "But things are different nowadays, Henry. Carrie's so pretty with that blond hair and those blue eyes of hers, and so full of life. It's no wonder the boys are crazy after her. She'll get over her flightiness, all right. Anyway, it's vacation now. You go to bed; I'll wait up."

Before her husband could reply a car stopped in the driveway. Voices were heard and footsteps approached the house.

"I'll sit up until she comes in and give her a piece of my mind."

Ten minutes passed and as yet he had no chance. When twenty minutes had elapsed he arose and walked restlessly back and forth until suddenly he hit upon an expedient. Going out into the hall, he felt for an electric button. There came a click and on the porch a glare of light. Through the plate glass window of the porch door Mr. Carr beheld with vindictive joy two dark shadows spring apart with a smothered exclamation.

For fully five minutes he stood there, snapping on and off the light. At length there reached his ear Carrie's clear "good night" and the sound of a car starting down the drive. He was buried deep in his paper when Carrie burst in upon them.

"Say, what do you think you've got here?"

"Carrie!" exclaimed her mother, "I wish you wouldn't—"

"Well, I wish he wouldn't. The idea of turning on that light! Sam must think this whole family is cuckoo—except me. I'd like to know—"

"Carrie"—this time it was Mr. Carr—"you stop that racket and go straight to bed. It's where you belong, and you're not to go out again this week, any night."

"Who, me?" Carrie paused in astonishment. "Yes, I'm funny like that, I am. Sam's taking me to the show tomorrow night. Gee, he's the berries, though."

She disappeared through the doorway, and sounds overhead soon assured Mr. Carr that his first command at least was in the process of being obeyed.

After sputtering a little more and reminding his wife that he meant what he had said, he, too, departed. A few minutes later, as Mrs. Carr went up the stairs, her daughter's door opened and a fuzzy, bobbed head was thrust forth.

"Say, ma," in a stage whisper, "he doesn't mean that, does he, about no going out the rest of the week?"

"Yes, he does." Mrs. Carr shuddered at the next remark, although she was not certain she had heard correctly, for it sounded like, "Well, ain't that the duck's knuckles, though!"

It was raining next morning and Mrs. Carr did not look forward to a day passed in Carrie's company, but Carrie came in meekly to the breakfast table, and to Mr. Carr's parting words, "Don't forget what I told you, kiddo," she only answered "Nope," and demanded more jam.

"I think I'll poke around in the attic this morning," she announced. "Going to try to find a costume for the masquerade, although I don't see much prospect for going just now," she added mournfully.

By lunch time Mrs. Carr was beginning to feel sorry for Carrie, even sorrier than Carrie was for herself.

"I couldn't find a costume," she offered, at the end of a silent meal, "but it doesn't make much difference, I suppose. I found a trunk with a lot of old letters and truck in it this morning. May I look it over?"

"Yes, indeed." Assent to such a harmless pastime was eagerly given, and Carrie again went atticward, where the rain beat incessantly against the cobwebbed windows.

Three times Mrs. Carr had to ring the dinner bell before there were answering footsteps.

"Carrie's been up attic all afternoon," she explained to the father of Carrie. "She's awful quiet and meek today."

Carrie, far from meek, far from quiet, came in with a little skip.

"Tell Sara to get a wiggle on. I gotta date," she flung at her mother.

With a small brown book in her hand she went to perch on her father's knee.

"Gee, I never knew before that you were an author, pa," she began, placing an arm about her neck. "Not until I found this book."

"My diary!" Mr. Carr snatched at it eagerly. Proudly he turned the yellow pages. "Well, yes, I used to write some in my youth. Everyone used to think I'd make a name for myself as a writer some day, and I would have, too, but I never had time."

"Well, that's all right, old dadums, but just you read this over."

Mr. Carr looked at the irregular, boyish writing. "Went swimming with Tom tonight. Got home late. Old man says I can't go again this week. It's mighty mean of him." And two days later there was another entry: "All the crowd went swimming tonight but me. I've a good mind to run away from home. It would serve the old man right—"

In spite of the March rain beating against the windows, in spite of the rush and clangor in the street, Mr. Carr for the moment was again in the old farmhouse and it was summer—a summer night with the water of the swimming hole dark and cool.

How he had hated his father! If Carrie should ever hate him like that—and she might!

He laid down the little notebook, pushed his chair up to the table and turned towards his wife, saying, "Go and see if Sara's got drowned in the soup, and tell her to hurry up. It's as Carrie says. She's got a date tonight."

## TRAINED EYE READS RAPIDLY

Art Attained by Practice, Though the Brain Must Be Alert to Grasp Meaning of Words.

How many words do you read in a minute, dealing with ordinary, clear printing? The answer should be something between 300 and 350, the average taken over a large number of cases being almost exactly 330.

As a rule, those who fall much below the average do so because of the manner in which they read; they form each word with their mouths as they proceed, and in such cases the figure rarely exceeds 200 words a minute.

On the other hand, those whose occupations entail a large amount of reading, such as members of editorial staffs, book reviewers, readers to the press, and so on, can often read up to 500 words a minute, or a 30,000 word story in an hour!

And not only can they read at that speed; but every salient fact in the matter being perused is thoroughly absorbed.

Typewritten matter can rarely be read at more than about 250 words a minute, owing to the greater distance the eye has to travel, while with even the clearest handwriting a minute is occupied in reading at the most 200 words.

The art of reading quickly is attained by the practice which enables the eye to recognize a word by its formation more than by the actual letters it contains.

But to be able to read quickly is not of great use by itself; the brain must be sufficiently alert to grasp fully the meaning of every one of the words read.

## JUST TALKED OF SQUIRRELS

Listener Discovered That "Big" Men Are Not Always Discussing "Big" Business.

Two pilgrims were following the road to Mecca. At the treasury steps they met up with a squirrel that reminded the one who looked as if he owned a railroad to say to the other:

"I was showing my kid around the White House yesterday, and as there are no squirrels in the streets at home, it sort of frightened the boy when one of these little rascals tagged us. I told him that all it wanted was peanuts and that when it found we had none it would go away—whereupon the little chap had a bright idea.

"Well, daddy, you could give him a nickel, couldn't you?"

The two chuckled with the ease that comes of good nature united to health, and the other man—who looked as if he owned two railroads and a good mine—started in on a story of his own:

"I wouldn't be afraid to bet squirrels could learn to spend nickels, at that. One time we were having a rumpus in the senate, with old Blank giving our side oratorical blood and thunder, and, sir, just as we were about to be flayed alive, along hops a squirrel up the aisle, jumps on Blank's arm extended in denunciation—sits on its haunches and begins to beg. It seems he had a pull on the old man, who always carried nuts in his pocket—and it saved the day for us."

And by that time the story was through with, and the two pilgrims had reached the Garden of Allah—with a listener behind.—Washington Star.

## LONG DISUSED, BUT NOT DEAD

Many Parts of the Human Frame Remain, Though They Are No Longer Called Upon.

Every person is a walking museum, a living volume of the history of the world.

Stand before a mirror and raise the top lid of one eye. At its corner you will see a little fold of skin, which cannot possibly serve any useful purpose. It did once, though, for it is all that is left of a semi-transparent third eyelid, such as birds and reptiles possess, which could be lowered as a protector when our remote ancestors were passing through dense undergrowth.

And whilst you are at the mirror look at your ears. Just over the entrance of each is a little pointed flap, which can be made to close the ear if it is pressed backward with the finger. This was once a regular ear-shield, useful as a protector in sand or dust storms, or when its owner took to the water.

A few people can still move their ears. Each of us possesses the muscles whose duty it was two thousand years ago to turn them in the direction of sounds, or to wag them when flies were troublesome. Though shrunk to tiny remnants through long disuse, these muscles remain.

### Making Him Propose.

"If you want a man to marry you, be just what he expects a girl to be, but be it just out of reach—not too far, mind you, or he might hoist his stetson and sail off. Any fool will tell you 'just out of reach'; it was a stale game when Genesis was written. Try to be just what he thinks women are. Very likely he'll expect girls are all cats, or sort of purring kittens. He mayn't really like that sort, but you be it. It kind of flatters his vanity. . . . 'There, I told you so,' he'll say; 'I knew I was right about them.' And he'll feel that good that he'll propose right there."—From "Sweet Peppers," by Geoffrey Moss.

### She Knew Daddy.

A small child was having her first ride in a subway train. Suddenly the train passed over some points and the lights went out for a moment.

When they went up again, the little girl said: "Did you do that, daddy?"

Daddy denied it.

"Well," replied his small daughter, "It's just the sort of thing you would do."

## IT HAPPENED IN NEW ENGLAND

News of General Interest From the Six States

Ushers at St. Mary's Catholic Church in Augusta, Me., have been instructed to refuse admittance to women and girls wearing knickers and similar apparel.

A man emptying waste paper from a basket on the pier Old Orchard, Me., found a long black pocketbook containing $5680 in checks, cash and notes, and bearing the name of Edgar E. Rhodes. Mr. Rhodes who conducts a studio there.

Mills of the Thames Dyeing & Bleaching Company, New London, Ct., worked night and day turning out black bunting to be used for mourning display in the city of New York during the funeral of the late President. The company was engaged in a rush order for 60,000 yards.

A bumble-bee, alighting on the neck of Arthur S. Crowe of Wakefield, Mass., as he was operating his automobile near Mansfield's Corner, South Lynnfield, caused Crowe to lose control of the machine and it crashed into a tree at Dead Man's Curve, both Crowe and his wife sustained injuries.

Fright at wading into deep water, it is thought, was responsible for the drowning of Mrs. David Roy of Waterville, Me., who was drowned while bathing at Messalonskee Beach camps. Mrs. Roy, with two companions, had waded into deep water and, becoming frightened, grasped the others, pulling them down with her.

Attendants at Grace Methodist Church, St. Johnsbury, Vt., at both morning and evening services heard the voice of the dead president. The pastor, the Rev. Ralph H. Stoody, an ex-service man, arranged for two phonograph records. President Harding's speech in the presence of 5000 bodies of dead soldiers returned from France was given.

Three of the four Siamese kittens borne by a cat owned by Arthur Gagnon died in North Adams, Mass., following an operation which separated them from the fourth member of the newly arrived family. The four kittens were joined together by their stomachs. The sole survivor of the operation, which was performed by a barber, is expected to live and inherit the 27 lives of his three dead brothers and sisters.

Thomas R. Burrell, president of the Fall River Bill Posting Company, received recently a letter that was mailed in Boston in 1910. The letter, it appears, was dropped in a mail chute and on its way to the box became stuck. There it remained for 13 years until it was found by workmen when the building was being torn down. It was turned over to the postoffice department, remailed and arrived at its destination.

The sum of $1,403,194.37 was received by Massachusetts in registration fees at the automobile bureau for the first half of the year, compared with $1,230,524.61 received during the corresponding period last year. In that period this year the registrations were as follows: Automobile operators, 109,385; motorcycle operators, 726; pleasure cars, 79,998; chauffeurs, 4003; trucks, 13,725; tractors, 200; motorcycles, 1059; trailers, 200; side cars, 401.

Crops in New England are developing well in spite of the slight rainfall during June and July, according to the New England crop reporting service in a statement issued at Wakefield, Mass. Hay, potato, onion, tobacco and bean crops are all doing well. Oats and grains have suffered from the drought, but are improving now. Potatoes are making rapid growth as a result of recent rains. Harvesting of early tobacco crops is already going on, both quantity and quality being good. Apple prospects are best in southern New England, Maine, New Hampshire and Vermont have less promising prospects. Peaches are doing well, but pears are mostly lighter than usual.

Mr. and Mrs. Koury of Attleboro, Mass., were before Judge Doe in the District Court Franklin, Mass., charged with abandoning an infant and attempting murder. Each was held in $3000. A baby was born to the woman about seven weeks ago, and when the child was two weeks old they left it with Mrs. Rose Fragose, Pawtucket, who charged them $7 per week. The couple had fallen behind in the payments, called for the child, and reaching Walpole left it in a damp swamp without any clothing. The crying of the baby led to its being found about 100 yards from the State highway, though it had apparently suffered no ill effects from its exposure and treatment.

Bears are becoming very numerous in Washington and Hancock counties, Me., according to reports of wardens received by the fish and game department. One warden of long experience writes that bears were never before so numerous as now at Oak Mountain, Township 35, southeast Hancock county. It is expected that by Oct. 15, when the skin of the bear will be in much better condition for mounting or tanning as a trophy, many hunters will visit this region for the sole purpose of shooting a bear.

## BOSTON MARKET REVIEW

For Week Ending Aug. 10, 1923

Prepared by U. S. Bureau of Markets and Crop Estimates

BRIGHTON LIVE STOCK AND BOSTON WESTERN DRESSED MEATS

Hog receipts normal; market steady but quiet; demand light; few sales $7.00-8.25. Receipts butcher cattle normal; market quiet; demand light. Cows and heifers $6.00-8.00, Bologna bulls $4.00-4.75; canner cows and heifers $2.25-3.50. Light weight veal calves are selling at $10.00-12.50 with heavy weights at $4.00-9.00 per 100 lbs. Milk cows are slow under light demand with choice selling at $140.00-150.00, good $110.00-140.00, medium $80.00-110.00 and common $50.00-70.00 per head. Fresh western beef receipts normal; market quiet; demand fair. Good steers $17.50-18.00, good cows $13.50-14.50, medium grade veal $9.50-10.50; local dressed $8.00-21.00 per 100 lbs. Lamb receipts moderate, market steady; demand moderate. Choice lambs $27.00-28.00, good $25.00-26.00. Mutton receipts insufficient to make a market. Pork receipts normal, market steady but quiet, demand light. 8-10 lb. loins selling at $18.00-19.00 with 16 lb. over at $10.00-11.00 per 100 lbs. Picnics are slow at $9.00-10.00 for 4-6 lb. averages and $8.00-9.00 for 6-8 averages.

DAIRY AND POULTRY PRODUCTS

Dressed poultry market continues firm with receipts of fresh fowl still rather short while demand continues good, especially for large sizes but small sizes going slow. Frozen chickens moving better on account of the light receipts of fresh fowl. Fresh: Fowl 6 lbs. 28-30c, 4-5 lbs. 29-32c, 3-3½ lbs. 24-26c; broilers 40-43c. Live poultry market steady to firm with supplies of fowl rather light, broilers coming more freely and selling slightly lower. Fowl 25-28c, broilers large 33-35c, small 28-31c. Butter market rules firm with prices higher on all scores as buyers are taking butter on a price basis rather than on quality. Buying at the moment limited mostly to small lots, 92 score 43½c, 90-91 score 42½-43c, 88-89 score 40½-41½c, 86-87 score 38-39½c. Egg market steady to firm with a good demand for finer quality, grading extras which are in light supply. Ordinary firsts moving in a fair way at higher prices. Western extras 35-38c, extra firsts 29-33c, firsts 27-29c, seconds 25½-26½c; nearby hennerys 43-49c with fancy browns up to 50c.

Pres. eGorge D. Olds has announced the addition of 10 new professors and special lecturers to the faculty of Amherst College, Amherst, Mass., for 1923-4. Among the new men are some of international reputation.

Because she persisted in tooting her automobile horn at an unseasonable hour and awoke the sheriff and others, Miss Bessie Quimby of Windsor, Vt., 25, was arraigned in Municipal Court, charged with disturbing the peace. She pleaded guilty and was fined $5 and costs.

Testimony of 11-year-old Helen Lamarque, in municipal court, Portland, Me., freed her father, William, of Brunswick, from a charge of reckless driivng. The girl, contradicting testimony of an automobile inspector, said the speedometer of the car in which she rode wtih her father never registered more than 20 miles an hour. The judge believed her.

Rev. Charles M. De Heredia, S. J., for the past seven years instructor in Spanish in Holy Cross College, in Worcester has gone to St. Francis Xavier College in New York. Rev. Fr. De Heredia will not be connected with the faculty at St. Francis Xavier College, being simply stationed there so he can continue his investigations of alleged fake methods of spiritualists in his campaign against spiritism.

Dorothy Davies Gordon, the heiress, whose mental condition and commitment to the McLean Hospital have been the subject of long litigation in Middlesex county, Mass., has a fortune that amounted to $304,771.46 June 21 last. That was the end of the period for which William F. Jardine filed accounts, which were allowed by Judge Leggat in the probate court at Cambridge. This valuation is almos three times that of her estate when Jardine took control of it.

The dates for the annual Methodist campmeeting to be held at Wesleyan grove, Northport, Me., are Aug. 26 to Sept. 2. The Rev. Albert E. Morris of Bangor will preside. He will be assisted by the Rev. Charles W. Martin of Bristol, R. I., and the musical program will be under the direction of Harry W. Laite of Bangor, assisted by Miss Carrie Bradford of Augusta. Mrs. Ralph H. Price of Bangor will have charge of the children's work. The list of speakers includes the Rev. Dr. E. L. Wall of the Maine conference, the Rev. Dr. D. D. Hoagland of Boston University and the Rev. Charles W. Martin.

In a letter sent to representatives of the coal operators and miners, the Joint Special Coal Investigating Committee of Massachusetts states that in event of a strike of the miners on Sept. 1, it "will push vigorously a boycott against the use of anthracite." The committee declares that "the temper of the descendants and successors of those who participated in the Boston Tea Party and who fought at Lexington and Bunker Hill is not such that they will deal further with those to whom they have entrusted the duty of supplying them with so vital a necessity as fuel, should that trust be further abused for selfish purposes."

Within 10 minutes from the time he called at an undertaker's, Alfred Cantara, 40, was found dead at his home, in Biddeford, Me. Cantara's call on the undertaker, who also carries a line of household goods, was to pick out a crib. That done, he turned his attention to caskets, with instruction to deliver the one selected, when needed. On arriving home he drank ice water while heated. Members of the family found him dead.

### Early Horseback Riding.

The early Greeks and Romans rode horses bareback. They regarded it as unmanly to ride in a saddle. In fact, the modern saddle with pommel and stirrups was unknown to the ancients. Nero gave out fancy coverings to his cavalry and the bareback riders of the German forests used to laugh at them. Saddles with trees came into use in the Fourth century; stirrups three centuries later.

### Party Control.

Whatever party is in control of a legislative body exercises that power. Effective party organization demands that the majority party have a majority on every legislative committee, for as a rule the destiny of legislative bills rests in the hands of the committee to which they are referred.

### Destruction by Forest Fires.

Every year 33,000 forest fires, involving some 12,500,000 acres of timber land, cost us $20,000,000.

### Tree Outlines.

The thing next in beauty to a tree in full leaf is a tree bare; its every exquisiteness of shape revealed, and its hold on the sky seeming so unspeakably assured; and, more than the beauty of shape and the outlining on sky, the solemn grace of prophecy and promise which every slender twig bears and reveals in its tiny gray buds. —Helen Hunt Jackson.

### Obstinate.

There is no great virtue in doing a thing that no one else wants you to do, simply because you are "obstinate." If it is a matter of principle that is all right, but only fools stick to their own opinions when it is contrary to the opinions of other people, just to be contrary.—St. Louis Globe-Democrat.

### "Adam's Apple."

"Adam's apple" received its name from the belief of the ancients that a piece of apple given to Adam by Eve stuck in his throat.

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## Here and There.

Announcement has been made by the auto registration bureau in Augusta that for the first half of 1923 more pleasure cars had been registered than ever before in the history of the bureau, the exact number being 79,993, or 1300 more cars than were registered in the entire year of 1922. The income from these licenses was $1,403,194. The number of drivers licensed for this year has not been quite so many as for 1922, the number for the present year being 109,385, while that for the previous year was 110,000. The following figures from the bureau show the gradual increase in registration receipts since 1906, when the first automobile registration law went into effect: 1906, $2,644; 1907, $3,232; 1908, $4,297; 1909, $6505; 1910, $9,704; 1911, $12,462; 1912, $93,339; 1913, $133,655; 1914, $193,042; 1915, $268,399; 1916, $363,562; 1917, $488,075; 1918, $570,171; 1919, $789,736; 1920, $833,383; 1921, $1,004,913; 1922, $1,416,356. In 1922, pleasure cars registered numbered 78,697; trucks, 13,842; and operators licensed, 110,000.

Mail order houses are the bane of local retail dealers no matter where situated. To use a slang phrase, "they don't like them a little bit;" but it would seem people patronize them just the same and in ever increasing numbers. Sears, Roebuck & Company's July sales as given out by them amounted to $14,960,939. This is an increase of $2,716,978 over July, 1922. The next leading mail order house in Chicago, Montgomery Ward, report sales for July amounting to $7,491,908 as against $5,110,163 for the same period last year.

"Law not war" is a new American slogan, but so far the nation has found much opposition. One of the chief sources of opposition comes from those who fear the future actions of Japan against this country, but now comes word from that insular kingdom that they are doing us one better for a reign of law. They have cut out all militaristic ideas from their school histories, and are teaching their children to view other nations with friendliness.

It is reported that in the state of Massachusetts more money is expended for chewing gum than for schooling. The people of Massachusetts like education but they like chewing gum better—yum yum.

### Poultry Culling.

Poultry culling demonstration work in the county, which has been conducted the past two years by the Farm Bureau, will be finished this year. The poultry culling campaign is now under way, and during this month and next twenty-one demonstration meetings will held by the local Farm Bureau units.

O. M. Wilbur, state extension service specialist, will assist County Agent Lovejoy with the first six meetings, and B. M. Clifford of Brownfield, county poultry project leader, will also take an active part in the campaign. Last year over 350 poultrymen were in attendance at the meetings, and this year being the last for culling work many more are expected to attend.

Following is the schedule of meetings arranged for this month and the first of September:

Wednesday, Aug. 22, W. L. Bailey's Andover, 10 A. M.; H. C. French's, Rumford Center, 1 P. M.; John J. Curtis', Mexico, 3 P. M.

Thursday, Aug. 23, F. M. Kenerson's, Fryeburg, 10 A. M.; E. E. Gilpatrick's, Brownfield, 1 P. M.; L. H. McCorrison's, Hiram, 3 P. M.

Friday, Aug. 24, Harry N. Haynes', South Waterford, 3 P. M.

Tuesday, Aug. 28, Wilbur Tucker's, Norway, 10 A. M.; C. C. Record's, South Paris, 1 P. M.; Frank A. Baker's, Welchville, 3 P. M.

Saturday, Sept. 1, Stewart Gammon's, West Peru, 10 A. M.; C. W. Walker's, Canton, 1 P. M.; E. V. Bradeen's, East Sumner, 3 P. M.

### Legion Amusements.

Paramount in the list of amusement enterprises of the American Legion in this state will be the undertaking of C. Fayette Staples Post of Old Orchard, which unit will, on Friday, Saturday and Sunday, August 24, 25 and 26, stage the first annual Aviation Meet ever held in the Pine Tree State. The Maine Department of the Legion has sanctioned the meet and posts in all sections are co-operating with the local legionaires.

Two score planes of all sizes and descriptions will participate in the meet, while American aces of the World War will come as guests of the Post. Governor Percival P. Baxter and party, and governors of other of the New England States will officially open the occasion on the first day which has been designated as Governor's Day. An aviation ball will be the closing feature of the first day. Military Festival, a Mardi Gras and other incidental events will be crowded into the remaining days of the affair.

The Aviation Meet is scheduled as a giant sequel to the Automobile Speed Races which were staged here several years ago, and it is the hope of the legionaires to make the undertaking one of the biggest events in the history of the world famous resort. Inter-city plane races will be a carded event, while passenger carrying planes will be employed from all sections of the country. Air maneuvers, exhibition flying, bomb dropping, and similar tactics will be in contest for the handsome silver trophies and cash prizes which have been donated to the post in its endeavor to raise a fund for post-war obligations of its members.

Excursions will be conducted by the railroads.

Shaw's Popular Dance Team will play this week as follows: Monday night at West Poland; Tuesday night at Canton; Wednesday night at Camp Fernwood, Poland; Thursday night at North Buckfield; Friday night at Denmark (masquerade); and Saturday night at West Lovell.

# THE OXFORD BEARS.

## THE DOINGS OF THE WEEK IN ALL SECTIONS OF THE COUNTY.

### Paris Hill.

The party which Dr. Hammond gave recently for her cousin Miss Marian Hammond, was a delightful affair. It included the college and high school set. In the intervals between dancing there was some excellent speaking. A number of out of town guests were present.

Mrs. Philip Rand of Atlantic City, N. J., and Miss Anna M. Schwind of Brookline, Mass., are spending August with Dr. Hammond at Benham Cottage.

Recent guests of Mr. and Mrs. Carroll I. Hooper are Mr. and Mrs. P. W. Brackett and two sons, Billy and Norman, from Melrose, Mass., C. W. Wilcoxon and Mr. and Mrs. Fenley Brown of Boston and Miss Dorothy Andrews of Malden, Mass.

Dr. John H. Girdner and Frederick Girdner of New York were guests last week of Mr. and Mrs. Kimball C. Atwood, Jr., at Northland. They left Friday for a visit to Block Island, R. I.

Don't forget the Sunday School picnic at Tripp Lake Thursday. Autos will leave the Baptist church at 9:00 o'clock. Hot coffee furnished, so take drinking cups with you. If rainy Thursday, the Sunday School will join with the Grange in a picnic at A. P. Stearns' home Friday by invitation of Mr. Stearns.

Miss Louise Diman, Miss Emily Diman and Miss Gardner, who have spent several previous seasons at Paris Hill, arrived last week from Providence, R. I.

Mr. and Mrs. J. H. Brooks of Bridgeport, Conn., are guests of Mrs. Brooks' parents, Mr. and Mrs. Austin P. Stearns.

An important meeting of the directors and stockholders of the Paris Hill Water Company will be held at the Country Club house this Monday evening at eight o'clock, to which all residents who are interested in the water supply situation are invited to be present.

Miss Lide W. Shaffer and Miss Irene McKinney of Pittsbugh, Pa., who have been guests of Miss Burchfield, returned last week to Pennsylvania.

A recent golf tournament at the Country Club was won by Arthur K. Shaw and Miss Julia F. Carter.

Henry W. Nieman left here Saturday to return to Bethlehem, Pa., where he has a position.

Herbert Fuller and Thayer Quinby, who have been guests of the Pierces, returned Friday to their home in Wellesley, Mass.

The Country Club Fair, the great event of the season, a fuller report of which will be found upon the first page of this paper, proved another unqualified success. While the financial statement is not yet quite complete owing to some outstanding bills, it is probable that the club has netted a handsome amount, a statement of which will be published later. Prizes in the various contests were won as follows:

Tennis Tournament: Sargent F. Collier and G. W. Debuvoise.
Obstacle Golf Tournament: Norman Hillyer and Miss Marjorie Hillyer.
Obstacle Golf Set: Dr. Ellison Hillyer.
Memory Test—Pitcher: Mrs. Fisher.
Bed Spread: Mrs. Mary B. Carter.
Bird Bath: Mrs. George M. Atwood.
Bead Bag: Mrs. Frank M. Owen.
Large Doll: Miss Esther Curtis.

An auction of "left over" goods from the fair conducted by that prince of auctioneers, Albert D. Park, in his inimitable manner, on the large porch of the club house caused much merriment in the evening, and was followed by a dance with music by Shaw's Orchestra.

Rev. Achenbach of the Congregational Church, Bethel, will preach at the Baptist Church next Sunday at 10:45. In the evening Mr. Shaylor of Portland will give a stereopticon lecture on The World's Fair, using his own origional slides.

Beginning on Friday there will be a mixed foursome golf tournament played for the Miss Burchfield cup. All entries must be in by 10 A. M. Friday.

Mrs. Potter, Mrs. Ashton, Mrs. Marr will give the tea at the Country Club next Saturday afternoon.

The former home of the late Emma T. Cummings on Main Street was sold last week to U. G. Wheeler of Newton, Mass., who expects to improve the property and make it a permanent home for himself and family. Mr. Wheeler is a native of Oxford County and is now Superintendent of Schools in Newton, Mass. The family will be a very acceptable addition to the social life of this village.

Mrs. Edna M. Cummings returned Saturday from teaching at the summer school at Castine.

Clayton K. Brooks of Cambridge, Mass., arrived here Saturday to spend his vacation with his family.

A meeting of the members of the Paris Hill Country Club is called for next Saturday afternoon at four o'clock at the club house to discuss and vote upon the proposition to increase the annual dues. All members are urged to be present and give expression to their opinion on the question.

The annual meeting of the Hamlin Memorial Library Association will be held at the Library, Wednesday, Aug. 22, at 3 P. M. All those interested in the Library please be present at that meeting.

GERTRUDE D. HAMMOND.

### West Paris.

Miss Ruth Tucker has returned from a trip to Boston.

Mrs. Emma Barrett of Sumner is staying with her sister, Mrs. Adelia Tucker, for a short time.

Mr. and Mrs. Geo. W. Devine have recently entertained Mrs. Devine's niece, Miss Madeline Edwards of Farmington, and sister, Mrs. Ernest Ham and daughter of Auburn.

Mrs. Harry L. Patch is suffering from erysipelas and is being treated at the Mother's Sanitarium.

C. Howard Lane does not improve. Mr. and Mrs. Frank Perkins are assisting in caring for him.

Mrs. Mary A. Lang of Hartford is visiting her sister, Mrs. Clara Ridlon.

Miss Lyndell Churchill of South Paris has been the guest of friends in town.

Mr. and Mrs. Abner Mann spent the week end at Bryant's Pond and attended the Y. P. C. U. grove meeting.

Mrs. Mark Richardson and daughter, Barbara are visiting in Exeter, N. H. They returned with Mrs. Gertrude Pearsley when she motored here to bring Miss Doris Richardson who has been visiting her.

Mrs. Ida Jacobs has resigned her position in the Telephone Office and Mrs. Harold Stevens of North Paris succeeds her. Mrs. Jacobs has been in the office for about six years and has been a very obliging operator. Mr. and Mrs. Harold Stevens are to occupy a rent in the old hotel.

Mr. and Mrs. C. E. Stearns entertained the Jolly Twelve whist club at Camp Echo, Locke's Mills, over the week-end of Aug. 12. Only seven of the club members were able to be present but the families and friends of the club made up a very jolly party of more than twenty.

H. H. Wardwell and family have been spending several days at Camp Evergreen, Locke's Mills.

Mr. and Mrs. J. E. Brock have been recent guests of E. J. Mann at Camp Idylwild, Locke's Mills.

Mr. and Mrs. J. E. Brock attended the M. E. camp meeting at Poland Sunday, Aug. 12.

A very pretty home wedding was solemnized at the residence of Mr. and Mrs. J. E. Brock Pioneer St., Wednesday evening, August 8th, when their only child, Myrtle Madeline, was united in marriage with Earle E. Bane, Rev. H. F. Aldrich officiating. The double ring service was used. The house was prettily decorated with green and white, the young couple standing under a green and white arch with wedding bell. They were attended by Mr. and Mrs. Reynold E. Chase. The bride was gowned in white crepe-de-chine with pearl trimmings. Mrs. Bane graduated from W. P. High School, class of 1922, being the valedictorian of her class, since graduation she has taught at South and West Paris. Mr. Bane is the son of Mr. and Mrs. Charles Bane of Rumford. He graduated from West Paris High School, class of 1921. Both are members of the Methodist church and are very popular. Only the immediate relatives of the contracting parties attended the ceremony. Refreshments were served. The young couple are spending their honeymoon at Emery's camp, North Pond, Locke's Mills. On their return they will board for the present with Mr. and Mrs. E. D. Curtis.

### Hebron.

George Cummings of East Oxford and Miss Ethel Marshall of Hebron were married at Rev. Mr. Kingsley's Thursday afternoon. The reception was held in the evening at the home of the bride. In the receiving line were Fred Marshall, her father, the bride and groom, and his parents, Mr. and Mrs. Arthur Cummings, Mrs. Gammon of Norway, Miss Doris Hibbs and Miss Priscilla Bean from the Hubbard House and Miss Bessie Bean from North Stratford, N. H., cousins, were present, also guests from Auburn. The house was crowded and many outside. Refreshments were served. Mrs. Cummings had many beautiful presents, and love and best wishes from all. They left on their wedding tour in the evening. Mr. Cummings has the store at Hebron Station and will live there, but at present they will be with her father.

Mrs. J. C. Donham came home from Lewiston Sunday. Dr. and Mrs. Higgins and Harold came with her for the day.

Very few were out to church Sunday there being no preaching.

Mr. and Mrs. Clement Munce and little boy spent the week-end at Fred Cushman's.

Mrs. Preston of Somerville, Mass., and Mrs. Whiting of Brookline, Mass., are at Miss Etta Sturtevant's.

Mrs. W. E. Sargent is getting ready to leave. She will go to New York to the home of her sister, Mrs. Scribner.

Prof. Dwyer will move into J. D. Long cottage as soon as he is home from Camp Pequawket, which he writes us will close next week. Mr. and Mrs. William Atwood were at the camp recently. Their oldest boy is in camp and Mr. Dwyer says is quite a grown up boy. It seems such a little while ago that Mr. Atwood was in the school here and the oldest boy a little chap. The first fair day next week the campers are to go up Mt. Washington.

Howard Glover took a party to the mountains this week.

Mr. and Mrs. Montgomery and Mr. and Mrs. Onsville Moulton went to the mountains early in the week. Mr. Moulton will stay there a few days, but others came back the same day, making rather a long drive.

Prof. Field will be home next week.

Prof. Marriner was to move from Woodfords to his new home in Waterville yesterday, Wednesday.

Mrs. Alice Bearce Bessom, Miss Louise Bessom, Miss Edna Bessom Stuart and Harold Bessom of Lynn, Mass., came to Mrs. Mary Bearce's Saturday evening and returned to Lynn Sunday evening.

Mrs. Mary Bearce, Mr. and Mrs. Henry Bearce and Roger were guests of Mr. and Mrs. Walter Conant Monday.

The Bearces went to Buckfield Wednesday and to-day, Thursday, Mr. and Mrs. Henry Bearce and Roger and Mrs. Amanda Merrill go to South Paris to see relatives. Friday they leave for home expecting to reach Washington Sunday evening.

Mrs. Elmer Perkins spent a day with her sister, Mrs. Alton Hibbs, this week.

Mr. and Mrs. Isaac Glover from Massachusetts and Mrs. Herbert Melcher and Alice from Portland spent the day with relatives here.

We greatly enjoyed a call from Miss Melcher and Mrs. Ellen Glover Moulton. It seems like old times to see them.

Miss Lina Wade of Turner and Miss Sadie Johnson of Cambridge, Mass., called at Clayton Babcock's Tuesday afternoon. Mr. Babcock is their half brother.

Mr. and Mrs. Scott Briggs and Miss Briggs' sister and Mrs. Herbert Bowman went to Lewiston Thursday.

Miss Annis, Principal Hunt's stenographer, who is having a vacation, is in the place for a few days.

Mrs. Annie Bearce and Miss Nellie Whitman, who have been at Vivian Bearce's, returned to South Paris Thursday.

Miss Eleanor Bearce is home from Farmington and has gone to Worcester, Mass., for a few weeks.

Mr. and Mrs. Williams of Barrows Lodge celebrated their little son's birthday Thursday afternoon. Two years old and a bright little fellow. The smaller children of the place were there and some of the young people also. Ice cream and cake were served and it was a pleasant time for all. Mr. and Mrs. Williams are to be guests of Mrs. Chas. Dwyer at their cottage in Martinsville for a few days.

We received a card from our friend, Miss Mabelle Butler, for several years music teacher at the academy. She is spending the summer at Estes Park, Col., the guest of Mr. and Mrs. F. Stanley, and having a delightful time.

### East Bethel.

Miss Alice Kimball of Boston was a recent guest of her sister, Mrs. J. H. Howe, and family.

Mr. and Mrs. J. H. Swan and Mr. Russell Swan have gone on an auto tour through Maine and Massachusetts, guests of relatives in Massachusetts and Rhode Island.

Mr. and Mrs. Ceylon Kimball and two children motored to Kingfield and were guests over the week-end of Mr. and Mrs. Frank Frost.

Mr. and Mrs. Edward Scribner, Mr. and Mrs. Jackson and Mr. and Mrs. Fred King of Massachusetts were recent guests of Mr. and Mrs. J. L. Holt and Mrs. Irving Kimball.

Mr. and Mrs. C. C. Kimball, Mrs. F. D. Bartlett of Berlin, N. H., and Mrs. Etta Bartlett were Thursday dinner guests of Mr. and Mrs. C. M. Kimball and family.

Mr. and Mrs. R. C. Clark and two sons, Hugh and Wendell Clark, of Auburn, were week-end guests at C. M. Kimball's.

Clarence Perham of Bryant's Pond is master workman on William Hasting's new bungalow which is just being completed.

Mr. and Mrs. Ceylon M. Kimball and two sons motored to South Paris and return, Friday, guests of relatives there.

County Agent R. H. Lovejoy was at Robert Hastings' Thursday, Aug. 9.

### Locke's Mills.

Mrs. James Howell is entertaining her mother, Mrs. Hattie Staples, of Burlington, Mass., and Mrs. Grace Haskell of Cambridge, Mass.

Mrs. Mary Powell of Berlin, N. H., was in town Wednesday calling on friends.

Mr. and Mrs. Earle E. Bane (Myrtle Brock) of West Paris are spending their honeymoon at Island Cottage.

Mr. and Mrs. Jarvis Thayer of Waterville arrived at Camp Echo Thursday for their vacation. They were accompanied by Mr. and Mrs. Gagnon and two children.

Mr. and Mrs. Albion Abbott entertained Mr. and Mrs. Frank Andrews at Robbins' Nest over Sunday.

Fred Bonney and daughter, Mrs. Robert L. Hemingway, and two children, Carolyn and Bernice of South Paris were at Mosley last week.

The old barn at the Scout farm has been torn down and a garage built.

### South Sumner.

A delightful shower was given Miss Elsie Palmer at the home of Mrs. Philip Tucker. The shower came as a complete surprise to the guest of honor, as Miss Palmer had been invited by Mrs. Harold Gammon to call on Mrs. Tucker. Every thing was as usual until Miss Palmer entered the living room and found it filled with friends, and in the center of the room was a table filled with gifts of money, silver, linen and pyrex, each expressing best wishes. Delicious refreshments of assorted cakes and fruit punch were served.

Professor Palache of Harvard College was a recent caller of T. Wilson Bonney.

Mrs. L. A. Keene of Woodfords is spending a week with relatives and friends in this vicinity.

Mrs. Rachel Tucker met her daughter, Mrs. Helen Record, and together they spent a day at Mechanic Falls.

Recent guests of Mr. and Mrs. Guy Turner were Mr. and Mrs. Joseph Ellingwood and daughters Evelyn and Susie of North Paris, Mr. and Mrs. George Noyes of West Sumner, and Adelbert Davenport and daughter Alma of Sumner Hill.

Will and Mary Bryant and Mrs. Frank Hammond attended church on Paris Hill Sunday.

Mr. and Mrs. Fred Keene and daughter Eleanor of Auburn, and another daughter, Mrs. A. P. Corliss, and granddaughter, Myrtle Corliss, of New York, spent the week-end with John Bonney and family.

Mr. and Mrs. Oscar Turner of East Sumner were recent callers in the place.

Herbert Scribner of Paris Hill was in the place looking for cattle.

### Bethel.

Miss Alice Kimball came home from her work in Boston recently for her vacation. She stopped in South Paris at her aunt's and came up with relatives by auto Sunday morning, Aug. 5.

Rev. Geo. R. Berry, D. D., of Colgate University, New York, with his wife, daughter, Miss Miriam, and son Lawrence visited at the home of Mrs. B. W. Kimball and family Aug. 5, while on a touring trip of Maine. He visited the notches of the White Mountains Aug. 4, making over 200 miles in one day.

Augustus Carter is very low at time of writing.

Mr. and Mrs. William Green from Natick, R. I., are spending their vacation at their camp at Middle Intervale.

At the picnic at Prof. Chapman's Thursday, Aug. 9, about sixty ladies and a few men were present. Prof. Chapman took the ladies over the downstairs rooms, where they saw beautiful bronze statues and paintings. Then they gathered in the central summer house and had a fine lunch. Mrs. Chapman served coffee and punch. All left feeling the day was well spent.

Gilbert Tuell and two daughters of Massachusetts spent the past two weeks with Dr. and Mrs. F. B. Tuell.

Mr. and Mrs. Eldridge of Rockport, Mass., with their son and daughter, have been spending the past two weeks with Mrs. Eldridge's mother, Mrs. Angelia Clark. Sunday, Aug. 12, they had a re union at Mrs. Clark's home, when her three sons (all married but one) with wives and children, with Mrs. Eldridge and family met at Mrs. Clark's home for a gathering.

William J. MacKay spent last week visiting at Bangor and also Somerset, Prince Edward Island.

Mrs. Irving Kimball of Boston, who is spending part of her vacation at East Bethel, was a recent guest of her aunt, Mrs. Bessie Sloane.

Mr. and Mrs. B. C. Simpson and two children of Portland, and Merrill Libby of Gray spent a week recently at the home of H. P. Wheeler.

Harry Mason of Portland was a recent guest of his sister, Miss Fannie Mason.

A. M. Carter died Friday afternoon. Funeral Monday afternoon at 3 o'clock. Mr. Carter had two shocks since his son, Edward Carter, died so suddenly, and being nearly 83 years of age it went hard with him.

Mrs. Dr. Brown of this place died from an operation of the appendix. She had been ill over three weeks.

KIMBALL HILL.

Mr. and Mrs. S. A. Mayconnell entertained at their home, Mountain View Farm, last Wednesday afternoon: Mr. and Mrs. J. Chase and daughter, Mr. and Mrs. J. Grant, Maurice Grunman and family of Rumford, Mrs. H. D. Salkin and daughters of Oregon, Mrs. J. Erlick of Portland, Miss R. Grunman of New York, Messers. Swartz, Fisher and Hittill of Boston.

Mr. and Mrs. G. L. Haines have returned from a short visit with relatives in Massachusetts.

Dorothy Haines is this week's guest of relatives in West Paris.

Mr. and Mrs. William Bennett of Locke's Mills have been cutting some hay on the Lloyd Thompson farm which they bought of W. E. Coolidge.

Almond Coolidge has been quite ill the past week.

Fred Haines is helping Dan Foster with his haying.

Mr. and Mrs. H. E. Day and Lillian Lapham of Locke's Mills were Sunday visitors of Mr. and Mrs. S. A. Mayconnell.

Mrs. Corrid Provenchie's niece of Rumford is making her an extended visit.

Sunday callers at G. L. Haines' were: Mr. and Mrs. Albert E. Dean and daughter Dorothy and Miss Mary E. Swan of South Paris, Mr. and Mrs. C. G. Howe and daughter Florence of Hanover, Leslie Noyes and Bernice Haines of Locke's Mills.

Mr. and Mrs. E. F. Haines of West Paris were recent callers at G. L. Haines'.

### West Peru.

Dora Child has sold her wood lot.

W. G. Magoon is working for Will Gillespie.

Asa Sessions of Bethel was in town Wednesday and sold a wood lot to N. S. Stowell & Co. Mr. Stowell has also bought the Rowe or Almon Andrews lot.

Almon Bisbee of Portland was in town calling on friends recently, as was also Will Phinney of Rumford. Will likes a good horse and was riding behind a good one.

### East Sumner.

Four of the seven civil war veterans of Sumner attended the Sumner Veteran Association's meeting at South Paris on last week Tuesday. They were L. B. Heald, Frank Brown, A. B. Wheeler and Sharon Robinson. Harold Keene and M. C. Barrows took them over by autos. About 20 veterans were present and much enjoyed a pleasant occasion. Joseph A. Noyes was chosen President, L. B. Heald, Sec. and Treasurer. Next annual meeting will be held at West Sumner. With one exception, every civil war veteran in town is past 80 years of age.

Ardon Tilton and family of Auburn have been at their cottage at Labrador Pond for several days. This locality, we predict, will soon be developed as one of nature's scenic gems for it really is a charming spot. The view from Mr. Tilton's cottage is exceptionally fine with the smooth expanse of water in front and "Old Black" and Speckled mountains in the background. Lovers of diversified natural scenery should visit the place.

Moses Young was made happy last Wednesday by the presence of relatives and friends gathered to honor his 68th birthday. "How-are-ye" took the place of—"Her-broad-up", for a while.

### South Woodstock.

Chester Beckler has moved his family into the upstairs rent of the Will Andrews house.

Freeman Wyman has been quite sick for several days but is some better now.

Mr. and Mrs. John I. Hutchinson of Ithaca, N. Y., have been recent visitors at A. M. Andrews'.

Mrs. F. R. Andrews has had another ill turn. She is stopping with her mother, Mrs. Mary Stevens, at Trap Corner for the present.

Mr. and Mrs. A. T. Silver and Mr. and Mrs. Andrew Rose were in Portland Saturday.

Miss Mattie Ward, R. N., of Lewiston and Erland Thurlow were recent guests of relatives here.

Mr. and Mrs. Ernest Bryant were in Portland Sunday.

Mr. and Mrs. Chester Beckler were guests of relatives in Albany the first of the week.

Mrs. Iva Sanborn is spending a few days with her mother, while recovering from an operation on her throat.

Mrs. Fred Barrett of West Sumner and Mrs. Fedora Paine of Jay were recent guests at A. M. Andrews.

Leon Poland and family and Mr. and Mrs. Abner Benson visited relatives in Auburn Sunday.

C. R. Wilson and crew are cutting R. L. Cummings' hay.

Hilja Pulkinen, Lylli Pulkinen and Arthur Pulkinen have been taken to Hebron Sanitorium for treatment.

Lenwood Andrews entertained eight of his little friends Aug. 10, the occasion being his eighth birthday.

Charles Smith has moved his family to Locke's Mills, where he has employment in the mill.

### Sumner Hill.

The annual reunion of the Sons and Daughters of Co. F. 9th Maine and Co. C. 8th Maine regiments will be held at West Sumner Aug. 22. All soldiers, Women's Relief Corps and friends are invited. Association furnisher beans and coffee. All are asked to bring pastry.

L. B. Heald attended the Sumner Veterans' Association at South Paris Tuesday.

Miss Laura Parlin is spending the week with Mrs. Carl Bonney at Buckfield.

Mrs. A. F. Davenport is visiting friends in Wollaston, Mass.

Denis Parlin and family were in Windham Tuesday to visit his mother, Mrs. Rachel Parlin.

Winslow J. Heald of Oquosoc visited his uncle, L. B. Heald, recently.

Edgar Barrett is in Hingham, Mass., on business.

Howard Burdin and family of Rumford were Sunday visitors at James Cobb's.

Mr. and Mrs. Richard Palmer and son, Jr., and Mrs. Lilla Palmer motored to Yarmouth Sunday to visit Mrs. Frank Byrum.

Mrs. Elsie Severance and daughters, Grace and Miriam of East Bridgewater, Mass., are guests of Mrs. Flora Leslie.

Mr. and Mrs. Herbert Bisbee and son were in Mechanic Falls Thursday.

Richard Palmer, Donald Buck, Horace Cobb and Emery Parlin attended B. H. S. Alumni Field Day at Bear Pond Aug. 16.

Miss Bernice Newell is working for Mrs. Herbert Bisbee.

Mrs. Nellie Barrett and daughter, Frances, visited her mother, Mrs. C. I. Gilbert of Greene this week.

Charles Heald of South Weymouth, Mass., was calling on relatives here Wednesday.

Mrs. Addie Burdin of Rumford spent a few days at the home of her brother, J. B. Cobb, recently.

### Buckfield.

Miss Alice Holbrook of Braintree, Mass., has been a guest of her aunt, Miss Martha Cole, for a week.

L. E. Cash and family have been guests of Mrs. Eva Lunt, returning to their Connecticut home Friday.

Harlan Irish of Portland has been here with relatives for a visit.

Lester Ricker and family and Merle Sturtevant and family have been at their Bear Pond cottage for a week.

Rev. F. P. Dresser returned from his vacation Friday. Services were resumed Sunday.

Mrs. Hanna Holbrook of Haverhill, Mass., has been here with Mrs. A. T. Cole.

Charles Buck arrived here from Topeka, Kansas, Wednesday for a short vacation. His family will return to Kansas with him around Sept. 1st.

The new electric organ blower has arrived and will be installed shortly.

Repairs are being made to the old grain mill, formerly used by Heald & Lunt.

Mrs. Eunice Prince has returned here from a visit with her son in Madison.

Mrs. Alice Farrar has been a recent guest of Mrs. Eva Lunt.

### Albany.

Mr. and Mrs. Homer Worthley and three daughters from Auburn were guests at F. G. Sloan's one day last week.

Mrs. J. E. Bennett and Mrs. George Conner were shopping and making calls in Bethel Monday.

Mr. and Mrs. Amos L. Bean and two sons, Omer and Everett, and little daughter Virginia motored from Haverhill, Mass., Wednesday. They called at S. G. Bean's and left Everett, then went to Bethel and left Mrs. Bean and Virginia at his brother's, H. I. Bean's. He and Omer came back to his mother, Mrs. Angie Bean.

S. G. Bean, Estella Bean, Sewall Pingree and Mrs. Cora Sawin of Bethel went to South Paris and dined with Mr. and Mrs. Lauren L. Lord. Then they came home. Both went to Bethel and stayed over night with Mr. and Mrs. Sawin.

### Northwest Albany.

Sunday visitors at Z. W. Mills were Mr. and Mrs. Percy Proctor and daughter, Mr. and Mrs. John Wood, Mr. and Mrs. Chas. Bell and children, Mr. and Mrs. Chas. Berry and son all of Norway. Also Mr. and Mrs. Hulburt York of Bethel, Mr. and Mrs. Albert Skillings of Northwest Bethel, Mr. and Mrs. James Brady of Haverhill, Mass., Mrs. Clara White and sons of Haverhill, Mrs. William Lowe and Mrs. Fred Oikle of Bethel were at L. E. Mills Saturday.

John Carlton is visiting friends in Gorham, N. H.

Mrs. Lydia Morrell of West Bethel and Mrs. Nellie Seaby of Portland are at G. B. Mills.

Mr. and Mrs. Joe Pills, Mr. and Mrs. O. C. Robbins and son of Harrison were at the camp over the week-end.

Mr. and Mrs. Berley Herget of Rumford were at L. E. Mills Sunday.

Mr. and Mrs. E. W. Rolfe have joined Pleasant Valley Grange.

Mrs. Maria Farewell has returned from Bethel.

Mrs. Lura Westleigh visited Mrs. Ada Mills Tuesday.

Lelan Mills was in Harrison Monday.

Mrs. Percy Chapman, son and daughter of Gorham, N. H., were in town Tuesday.

### Wilson's Mills.

Lewis Olson made a trip to Berlin Saturday after his cousin, Miss Mildred Wilson and her niece, who are spending their vacation at H. W. Fickett's.

Wm. Beecher has a crew at work repairing the foundations of the building on the Dartmouth College property which was burned this summer and preparing to move the house known as the George Flint house to that site.

E. S. Bennett and family spent Friday with Mrs. Bennett's parents, Mr. and Mrs. Frederick Barrows at Canaan, Vt.

Miss Eleanor Linnell is visiting her grandmother, Mrs. Bertha Storey at E. S. Bennett's.

### North Waterford.

Lester Allen and family are in Albany at Howard Allen's for a while.

Mr. and Mrs. J. Littlefield and children were week-end guests at Sidney Hatch's, Bridgton.

Edith Crouse is home from Slab City where she has been working.

Mrs. Harriett Heald is not quite as well.

Harry Brown and family went up to the mountains and camped Saturday night.

Will Moulton's folks are entertaining company from away.

Edith Brown's mother and brother are with her for a while. Her mother is in very poor health.

Martha Black is failing very fast.

Ernest McGrey is haying for Gard Libby.

Mr. and Mrs. F. P. Hazelton were in Andover Sunday.

Mrs. Maude Smith and several friends from Lewiston called on her grandmother, Emily Paige Sunday.

### West Sumner.

Friends and neighbors express much sympathy to Mr. and Mrs. Arthur Adams by the death of their little daughter Caroline.

V. N. Ricker of Nabant, Mass., is putting water into the house of the Heald estate.

Rev. L. M. Robinson has returned from abroad much improved in health.

Mrs. Frank Scudder and son Ivan of Livermore are the guests of her father and mother, Mr. and Mrs. W. R. Glover.

Services will be held at the Universalist church Sunday, the 19th, at 10:30 A. M., Rev. C. G. Miller officiating.

Miss Lida Everett is the guest of Mrs. Ella Chandler.

Benjamin Heald of Massachusetts was the guest of his aunt, Mrs. John Heald.

### North Paris.

Mr. and Mrs. C. N. Perkins and three sons who are making an automobile trip through Maine, spent a day with Mrs. Perkins' sister, Mrs. A. D. Andrews last week.

The reunion of the Littlehale family was held at the home of A. D. Littlehale Sunday Aug. 19th. Further particulars will be given next week.

Mr. and Mrs. W. J. Bonney of Winthrop have been visiting at James Bradford's and A. D. Littlehale's.

James Abbott has sold his farm to Levi Hazelton who has already taken possession.

### Bryant's Pond.

There was a good attendance at the special meeting of Franklin Grange held Saturday evening Aug. 11. The first and second degrees were conferred upon five candidates.

Mrs. Florence Cushman, Claude Cushman and family, Fred Cole and family and Mrs. Leslie Abbott and children were guests of Mr. and Mrs. C. P. Kimball at Berlin, N. H., Sunday, Aug. 12.

Mr. and Mrs. Homer Crooker of South Berwick are the guests of Mr. Crooker's mother, Mrs. Vertie Crooker.

Mr. and Mrs. E. R. Freeman have been entertaining Mr. and Mrs. Eugene Stover of Houlton.

Mr. and Mrs. H. Alton Bacon and Mr. and Mrs. Alton York made an automobile trip Sunday, Aug. 12, through Grafton Notch, to Errol, N. H., and home via Berlin, calling on friends at Grafton and Berlin.

The Soaway Girls' Club held a meeting Thursday afternoon, Aug. 16, with a good attendance. The next meeting will be held Aug. 23, at Mrs. Abbott's home.

Shaw's Orchestra will furnish music at the Canton fair dance in the Opera House, Canton, on Tuesday and Wednesday evenings, Aug. 28 and 29.

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The Oxford Democrat.

South Paris, Maine, August 12, 1923.



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Mr. and Mrs. Myron Allen were in Fryeburg one day the first of last week.

Mr. and Mrs. W. J. Bonney of Winthrop visited friends in this village last week.

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Mr. and Mrs. H. L. Russell spent several days in Portland last week guests of Mr. and Mrs. J. Raymond Lynch.

Mr. and Mrs. Everett Abbott and children were recent guests of Mr. and Mrs. Arthur Wilkins in Livermore.

On Wednesday Mrs. L. L. Mason gave a luncheon bridge party in honor of her daughter, Mrs. Arthur K. Underwood.

Miss Marion Simpson, teacher of the Main Street primary school, has resigned to accept a position to teach in Connecticut.

There are a few more articles left of Mrs. Mason's furniture, which are for sale by E. S. Jones. If interested inquire at him.

Rev. Chester Gore Miller goes to Mechanic Falls this (Monday) afternoon to officiate at the funeral of Mrs. Celia Harmon.

J. Harlan Abbott of Springvale was at home over Sunday visiting his mother, Mrs. Lottie Abbott, and brother Harold Abbott and family.

Winslow Cook, Mr. and Mrs. Carroll Cook and Robert Cook of Portland were recent guests of George W. Cook and Mrs. Luella C. Smiley.

George G. Polley, the human fly, made a visit to this village Friday and in the evening scaled the Pythian Block, going up the center of the front.

Mrs. James Quinn, Donald Quinn and Miss Patricia Quinn of Sherbrooke, P. Q., were recent guests of Mrs. Elira Parsons and Mr. and Mrs. Harold Cole.

Mr. and Mrs. Harry I. Lowell and daughter, Miss Edith Lowell, are spending their vacation in Bolster's Mills with Mr. Lowell's father, Elisha Turner.

The Sumner Veteran Association held its annual meeting in this village Tuesday. There were nineteen old veterans present, all of them over 80 years of age.

F. I. Smith of Indianapolis, Ind., was in town last week. Mr. Smith is an official of American Legion, and was in consultation with Legion officials in this village.

Mr. and Mrs. J. B. Barnett, Mr. and Mrs. Herman Barnett and A. W. Barker motored to South Windham one day recently to visit Mrs. Perley Mitchell and family.

Ladies' Social Union meets at the church at 2:30 Wednesday, Aug. 22. Everybody come as there is lots of work and business. Remember the towels and dishes, bring those sure.

Mrs. Georgia Andrews and her daughter, Mrs. Jessie Scott and her daughters Miriam and Lila, who have been living in the George L. Barnham rent for some little time are to move to Portland.

Mr. and Mrs. Arthur K. Underwood of Auburn, N. Y., who have been visiting Mrs. Underwood's parents, Mr. and Mrs. L. L. Mason, for some ten days, left for their home in Auburn, N. Y., Friday.

Among the visitors at the Democrat office Tuesday was Sheron Robinson of Sumner. Mr. Robinson is over 80 years of age and has been the Sumner correspondent of the Democrat for over 65 years.

Mr. and Mrs. L. L. Mason and daughter, Mrs. Underwood motored to Bethel Monday, and were entertained by Mrs. A. M. Mason and daughter, Miss Alice Mason, in honor of Mrs. L. L. Mason's birthday.

The ladies of the Congregational church will hold a food sale Friday afternoon of this week on the lawn at Mrs. E. N. Haskell's home at 3 o'clock. If rainy, the sale will be held at N. Dayton Bolster Co.'s store, same hour.

The many friends of John M. Murch will be pleased to learn that he received notice the past week of an increase in pension to seventy-two dollars per month. Several other local veterans of the civil war have received a similar increase.

The friends of Ralph B. Penfold will be pleased to learn that he is a little improved in health and that the physicians at the Government Hospital in Togus think that they have arrested the progress of his disease. He will remain in the hospital a few weeks longer.

Rev. and Mrs. H. L. Nichols of the Methodist church in Skowhegan motored to this village Tuesday, where they met their daughter-in-law, Mrs. Francis Nichols and little daughter Bertha from Chicago. The party spent the remainder of the week with Rev. and Mrs. Nichols' daughter and husband, Mr. and Mrs. William Lebroke in Norway.

Mr. and Mrs. L. L. Mason had as week-end guests Rev. and Mrs. Dwight A. Ball of Kinston, N. C., Mr. and Mrs. Frederick M. Webber and Mr. and Mrs. Charles C. Cayler of Portland. Each of the ladies of the party are sisters-in-law of the hostess. Rev. Mr. Ball was a former Universalist pastor at West Paris. He, with his wife, are now engaged in missionary work in North Carolina.

Don't forget the grange picnic and field day Friday, Aug. 24, with Mr. and Mrs. Austin Stearns, Jr. The committee has arranged for two ball games and a large line of other sports. It is hoped that every grange member and friends will take a day off to come and have a good time. Any one interested is invited to come but each is asked to bring a cup as coffee will be furnished.

Mrs. Frank R. Dunham, also Mrs. Leslie Brooks of South Paris, together with Mrs. Edmund Everett and Mrs. Philip Decoteau of Norway are entertaining their sisters, Mrs. A. L. Weston and son Arthur, Jr., of Boston, Mass., with Leonard Stearns and daughter Dorothy of North Stoughton, Mass., Mrs. Harold D. Ersig of Toledo, Ohio, who formerly was Miss Florence Gunn of South Paris. Wednesday a family picnic was enjoyed by all at Penley's Grove, where the seven sisters gathered to talk over happy days at home. A picnic lunch was served, and Victrola music for dancing helped to make the day a happy one.

Charles H. Green was at Falmouth Foreside last week.

Miss Lyndell Churchill has been visiting friends in West Paris.

Black and White Syncopators of Bethel will give another dance at Grange Hall on Thursday evening of this week. All are cordially invited.

Mrs. Ada Bolster, Miss Ruth Bolster, Mrs. Clara Whittle and Mrs. Marietta Gilbert motored to Mechanic Falls one day last week and called on friends.

Mr. and Mrs. William Thiede with their friends, Mr. and Mrs. Alois Schleck, of Elizabeth, N. J., stopped a few days with Mr. Thiede's aunt and uncle, Mr. and Mrs. Henry Fletcher, on their automobile trip through the New England states and New York.

Mr. and Mrs. Alfred H. Jackson, Miss Nellie M. Jackson and Andrew J. Jackson motored to Camden last week, stopping with Mr. and Mrs. Carlton Wood, who is now principal of Camden High School. Returning via Boothbay Harbor and stopping at Southport with Mr. and Mrs. C. D. Waterhouse of Arlington, Mass., and Mrs. L. A. Waterhouse of Mechanic Falls.

## Dudley Family Reunion.

By invitation of Ansel Dudley, the fourth annual reunion of the Dudley family was held at the Opera House, Bryant's Pond, on Thursday, Aug. 16.

A picnic dinner was served at noon with coffee and ice cream furnished by Mr. and Mrs. Ansel Dudley. After the dinner hour the following program was presented:

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| Address of Welcome | Carl C. Dudley |
| Response | Mrs. Annie Dudley |
| Declamation | Perrin Dudley |
| Declamation | Arthur Dudley |
| Recitation | Miss Marguerite Dudley |
| Recitation | Miss Nellie Dudley |
| Paper on California | Mrs. Olivia D. Bucknam |
| Piano Solo | Miss Marguerite Dudley |
| Recitation | Miss Ruth Patterson |
| A Talk on Greece | Nicalaus Harithas |
| Declamation | Ansel Dudley |

The following officers of the association were elected:

Pres.—Mrs. Gertrude Hammond.
Vice-Pres.—Charles S. Dudley.
Sec. and Treas.—Mrs. H. Alton Bacon.

After a very enjoyable day the members adjourned. It was decided to meet at Paris next year.

An interesting feature of the occasion was the presence of one brother, Ansel Dudley, and four sisters, Mrs. Angie Bowker, Mrs. Adelia Curtis, Mrs. Amanda Sheeran, Mrs. Evelyn Young, whose combined ages were four hundred years.

Members present at reunion were:

Mr. and Mrs. Ansel Dudley, Carl C. Dudley, Bryant's Pond.
Mrs. Olivia Dudley Bucknam, Hollywood, Cal.
Mrs. Angie Bowker, Mrs. Adelia Curtis, Mrs. Amanda Sheeran, Bryant's Pond.
Mrs. Evelyn Young, Norway.
Mr. and Mrs. Dana O. Dudley, Marguerite Dudley, Otis Dudley, Mrs. H. H. Crockett, Mrs. H. Alton Bacon, Bryant's Pond.
Mr. and Mrs. C. S. Dudley, Mrs. Frank S. Dudley, Miss Sarah Dudley, Mrs. Eva Merrill, Earl Merrill, Margaret Bumpus, South Paris.
Mrs. Gertrude Hammond, Charles Hammond, Marion Hammond, Paris.
Nicolaus Harithas, New Haven, Conn.
Perrin Dudley, Cyrus Dudley, John Dudley, Miss Nellie Dudley, Buckfield.
Mr. and Mrs. Charles Dudley, Mr. Stuart, Louise Dudley, West Farmington.
Mr. and Mrs. Bert Dudley, Arthur Dudley, Turner.
Mr. and Mrs. Edmund Cloutier, Mechanic Falls.
Mr. and Mrs. Scott Patterson, Ruth Patterson, George Patterson, Welchville.
Arthur Dudley, Bethel.
Mrs. Carrie Allen, Berlin, N. H.
Mrs. Emily J. Felt.
Mrs. Inez Whitman.

## A Family Reunion.

An unusual gathering of all members of one family was the occasion of the celebration of the 85th birthday anniversary of Mrs. Angelia Mason Clark, a representative of one of Bethel's oldest families.

There were present at the anniversary dinner, besides an older sister, Mrs. Mary Mason McNab, the four children of Mrs. Clark and every member of each family as follows: Irving Mason Clark; Edmund Clark, his wife Mary Field Clark and children, Elsie Stuart Clark, Adele Field Clark; Roscoe Conkling Clark, his wife Lillian Kimball Clark and children Hugh Mason Clark, Wendell Kimball Clark; Ruby Clark Eldredge, her husband William F. Eldredge and children, Angelia Mason Eldredge, Arthur Simeon Eldredge.

## DeMay-Millett.

On August 12th at the Empire Camp Grounds occurred a marriage of interest to Norway people. The contracting parties were Peter DeMay of Rochester, N. Y., and Mrs. Florence (Buswell) Millett of Auburn. The double ring service was used by Rev. O. E. Bryant. The bride wore brown silk with hat to match.

After the wedding, Mr. and Mrs. DeMay came to Norway to visit relatives. They will pass the summer in Poland, but the winter in Auburn.

Mrs. DeMay is the daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Charles H. Buswell of Norway but has lived in Auburn for the past fourteen years.

Mr. DeMay is a native of Holland but has lived in America many years, coming to this country when only five years old. He lived in Syracuse, N. Y., during his earlier years but for some time has made his home in Auburn.

## Colonel Philo Hersey.

Colonel Philo Hersey of San Jose, Calif., died on Tuesday evening last at the home of his niece, Mrs. Bell S. Wadlin, in Canton, as the result of a shock suffered Monday morning.

Colonel Hersey was born at Canton Point, November 7, 1836, the son of the late John and Mary Howe (Holland) Hersey. He was educated in the public schools of Canton, Westbrook Seminary and Tufts College.

He enlisted for the civil war in Bangor and became lieutenant colonel of the 26th Regiment of Maine Volunteer Infantry. He served until the battle of Irish Bend April 14, 1863, when he was wounded in the shoulder, furloughed and then discharged.

June 14, 1865, he married Miss Arabella Johnson of Belfast, in which city they made their home and where they lived for twenty-one years. In Belfast he engaged in the manufacture of clothing.

In 1885, he moved to San Jose, Calif., where he bought 115 acres of land.

During his residence in Maine he served in the legislature of 1865-1866, and was a member of Governor Conner's staff from 1876 to 1880.

In religion he was a Universalist and in politics a Republican.

Mrs. Hersey died in 1895. To Colonel and Mrs. Hersey were born two sons, Ralph Waldo born June 1, 1866, and Edward Johnson born November 27, 1867. The first lives in Santa Barbara, and the second at San Jose, California.

Besides the two sons mentioned above, Colonel Hersey leaves a sister, Ella L., wife of Hon. John P. Swasey.

The deceased had planned and had started to present Canton with a free public library; but death prevented him from finishing his plan.

On Friday, the 10th, Colonel Hersey was one of the memorial speakers at Canton in honor of the late President Harding.

## Born.

In Norway, Aug. 9, to the wife of Fred F. Swan, a son.

In Portland, Aug. 7, to the wife of Bert Brackett of Lovell Center, a son.

In Lovell, Aug. 8, to the wife of Francis Libby, a daughter.

In Rumford, Aug. 16, to the wife of Harold L. Forbes, a daughter.

## Married.

In Mexico, Aug. 12, Lawrence L. Smith and
Miss Olive Murch, both of Mexico.
In Mexico, Aug. 11, William L. Jordan and
Miss Arline L. Cunningham, both of West Peru.
In West Paris, Aug. 8, Earle E. Bane and
Miss Myrtle Madeline Brock.
In West Sumner, Aug. 12, Isaac J. Child and
Miss Florence Rowe, both of Buckfield.
In Rumford, Aug. 13, Dominic Vallee and Miss
Annie Gallant, both of Rumford.
In Poland, Aug. 12, Peter DeMay of Rochester, N. Y., and Mrs. Florence (Buswell) Millett of Norway.
In Auburn, Aug. 18, Charles Delano of Rumford and Miss Mae Murphy of Auburn.

## Died.

In Canton, Aug. 14, Colonel Philo Hersey aged 86 years.

In Mexico, Aug. 12, George Dubendres, aged 41 years.

In Andover, Aug. 8, Mrs. Emma Adams, aged 70 years.

In Bethel, Aug. 17, Augustus Carter, aged 83 years.

In Rumford, Aug. 17, Janet M. Forbes, aged 1 day.

In Auburn, Aug. 13, Mrs. Susan M. Hersey, a native of Peru, aged 70 years.

# NORWAY.

Master Gardner Goodwin is spending his vacation with his uncle, Willis Goodwin, in Locke's Mills.

Miss Edith M. Smith recently visited her brother, Charles Smith, and family in Deering.

Charles A. Woodbury of Somerville, Mass., Fred W. Sanborn and Walter C. Smith are spending a few days at Magalloway.

There was a family party at Mr. and Mrs. F. A. Hall's recently. It included Francis Hall of St. Johnsbury, Vt., Mr. and Mrs. LaForest Hall of Casco, Mr. and Mrs. Norris Newell of Portland, and Mr. and Mrs. Charles Newell of Saco.

Miss Dorothy Anderson has returned from a six weeks' visit in Boston.

Mrs. Alforetta Edwards of Portland was in town Wednesday.

Mr. and Mrs. Murdick McLellan of Rumford, and Mr. and Mrs. Alex Nisbet of Portland were guests of Mrs. Elden Goodwin on Monday of last week.

Bertram Fellows of Portland is visiting his grandparents, Mr. and Mrs. Herbert Rich.

Mrs. Georgia Wight of Roxbury, Mass., is a guest of Mr. and Mrs. Fred Rowe.

Mr. and Mrs. Eugene F. Smith and daughters, Misses Elsie and Eleanor, spent last week with relatives in Richmond and took in the Richmond Centennial.

Mrs. Leon A. Emery and daughter, Miss Elizabeth, are visiting Mrs. Emery's sister, Mrs. Fred Webster, in Andover, Mass.

Mr. and Mrs. Eugene Berry of Nyack, N. Y., are in town. This is their third season in the village. Mr. Berry is a prominent lawyer of New York City.

H. O. Williams and John Donnington of Elizabeth, N. J., are spending several days in town and vicinity.

Mr. and Mrs. Norman Richmond of New York City are on their annual visit to Norway.

George W. Eastman has returned to this town after spending several days in Massachusetts.

Mr. and Mrs. William H. Knightly and Mrs. Fred Knightly returned from a trip to Lynn, Mass., on Monday.

Mr. and Mrs. Earle Austin of Attleboro, Mass., are guests of Mr. and Mrs. E. S. Russell for a few days.

Mr. and Mrs. Fred Moffatt and son Kenmure of Dorchester, Mass., are at their camp on the lake.

Mrs. Georgia Wyman and daughter from Pennsylvania are visiting Mrs. Wyman's parents, Mr. and Mrs. Joseph Dubey.

Mrs. Myra Cole of Bryant's Pond was in the village Tuesday.

Fred E. Smith and family have returned from a two weeks' vacation at Higgins Beach.

Lowell Cleveland and Winfield Chute have gone to Gorham, N. H., for a few days.

Mr. and Mrs. Maurice Sullivan and daughter, Miss Mary, who have been spending their vacation with Mr. and Mrs. Allie Durell, have returned to their home in Boston.

Mrs. Frank E. Brett is at Dr. Burrough's hospital in Portland for treatment.

James F. Moatyn of Brooklyn, N. Y., is in town for a few weeks.

Mrs. Harriet Tibbetts and Mrs. Edward Conner of Spokane, Wash., are visiting relatives in town.

Mrs. Charles Warren and daughter of Arlington, Mass., are stopping with friends in town.

Mr. and Mrs. Fred H. Cummings recently entertained a house party at Camp Satonwishon on Goat Island. Those of the party were Mr. and Mrs. John Swain, Mr. and Mrs. Frank Hazen and son of Newton Center, Mass., Mrs. Oleta Norton of Hartford, Conn., Mr. and Mrs. S. H. Ring and Mrs. Florence Mitchell of Center Lovell, and Mr. and Mrs. George Bradbury of Portland.

Mr. and Mrs. Eugene L. Hutchins went to Rochester, N. H., Wednesday for a week's visit.

F. W. Sanborn has returned from Meredith Center, N. H., where he has been spending several weeks at the Sanborn homestead.

George Bennett was in Bethel Tuesday.

Carl Harden is visting his mother, Mrs. S. J. Hayden, at the lake

The Wild Cats held a gathering at Camp Cinnamon Tuesday evening.

Mrs. Hiram Wiles visited her sister, Mrs. William Lowe, in Bethel the first of last week.

Rev. and Mrs. John A. Harding of Lonsdale, R. I., are visiting Mrs. Harding's son, William F. Young.

Miss Georgia A. Gould of Portland is visiting her niece, Mrs. Gertrude Barker, for a few weeks.

Mrs. Edward Merrill and son Lewis of Minneapolis, who have been visiting Mr. and Mrs. Charles H. Sargent, started on their return home Friday.

Mrs. Elizabeth Manning and grandson, Paul Brown, have been visiting Mrs. Manning's daughter, Mrs. George Holt, and family in North Waterford.

Mrs. Flora Stearns of Portland spent last week in Norway.

Elmer Packard is on a trip West in the interest of the Norway Shoe Company. He expects to be gone several weeks.

Elmer and William, sons of Judge and Mrs. Morrill N. Packard of Baltimore, are guests of Mr. and Mrs. Edward D. Packard.

Mr. and Mrs. L. W. Ramsell of Bethel were in the village recently.

## Fair Committees.

Committees of Paris Grange for exhibits at the county fair:

General Committee—Mr. and Mrs. E. E. Talbot, Mr. and Mrs. A. U. Tyler, Mr. and Mrs. F. I. Cummings.

Dairy Products—Mrs. John McPhee, Mrs. Ada King, Mrs. Cora Talbot.

Fruits—Allie Cairns, Frank Richards, Walter Knightly.

Vegetables—Frank Plummer, Bert Curtis, George Boutelle.

Canned Goods—Mrs. Edith Thayer, Mrs. Leona Penley, Mrs. Mary Stearns.

Foods—Mrs. Annie Dudley, Mrs. Sadie Rowe, Mrs. Ethel Cairns.

Quilts, Rugs and Knitted Goods—Mrs. Chas. Kimball, Mrs. Bert Ryerson, Mrs. Frank Maxim.

Flowers—Mrs. Bert Curtis, Mrs. Lyons, Mrs. Davies.

Fancy Goods—Mrs. Wilma Stearns, Mrs. Howard Swan, Mrs. Harold Abbott.

If those on committees cannot serve, please notify one of the general committee before the next grange meeting.

## Base Ball.

The first Tri-County League game last week was with the Dixfields at Dixfield, when the Twin Towns came out second best but only by one score.

Twin Towns rolled up three runs in the fourth and Dixfield came back with two in the fifth. It looked as though Twin Towns would go through on the one point lead but the Dixies hopped on Knight in the last of the ninth and spattering singles about the lot freely, tied the score and then banged the winning run over.

Score by innings:

| | | | | | | | | | | |
|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|
| Twin Towns | 0 | 0 | 0 | 3 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | —3 |
| Dixfield | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 2 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 2 | —4 |

The base ball season was at its height Thursday the same as the Country Club. The last held a fair on Thursday and the Twin Towns Club a tournament on the Oxford County Fair Grounds the same day. It was a Tri-County tourney, the Dixfields, Livermore Falls, Farmingtons, as well as Twin Towns taking part. The first game was between the Twin Towns and Dixfields, the last winning by a single score, as can be seen by the following record by innings:—

| | | | | | | | | | | |
|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|
| Dixfield | 0 | 1 | 1 | 0 | 0 | 1 | 1 | 0 | 0 | —4 |
| Twin Towns | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 2 | 1 | —3 |

The second game was between Livermore Falls team and the Farmingtons, score by innings:

| | | | | | | | | | | |
|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|
| Livermore Falls | 1 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 2 | 0 | —3 |
| Farmington | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 3 | 0 | 1 | x | —4 |

The final game was between the winners of the first two,—The Farmingtons and Dixfields,—with the day's honors resting with the Farmingtons in a manner explained by the following score:—

| | | | | | | | | | | |
|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|
| Farmington | 2 | 3 | 0 | 0 | 1 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | —6 |
| Dixfield | 1 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 1 | 0 | —2 |


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## Bankrupt's Petition for Discharge.

In the matter of MERTON E. RAWSON, Bankrupt, } In Bankruptcy.

To the HON. JOHN A. PETERS, Judge of the District Court of the United States for the District of Maine:

MERTON E. RAWSON of Rumford, in the County of Oxford, and State of Maine, in said District, respectfully represents that on the 15th day of January, last past, he was duly adjudged bankrupt under the Acts of Congress relating to Bankruptcy; that he has duly surrendered all his property and rights of property, and has fully complied with all the requirements of said Acts and of the orders of Court touching his bankruptcy.

Wherefore he prays, That he may be decreed by the Court to have a full discharge from all debts provable against his estate under said Bankruptcy Acts, except such debts as are excepted by law from such discharge.

Dated this eighth day of August, A. D. 1923.

MERTON E. RAWSON, Bankrupt.

**ORDER OF NOTICE THEREON.**

DISTRICT OF MAINE, ss.

On this 18th day of August, A. D. 1923, on reading the foregoing petition, it is—

Ordered by the Court, That a hearing be had upon the same on the 28th day of Sept., A. D. 1923, before said Court at Portland, in said District, at 10 o'clock in the forenoon; and that notice thereof be published in the Oxford Democrat, a newspaper printed in said District, and that all known creditors, and other persons in interest, may appear at the said time and place, and show cause, if any they have, why the prayer of said petitioner should not be granted.

And it is further ordered by the Court, That the Clerk shall send by mail to all known creditors copies of said petition and this order, addressed to them at their places of residence as stated.

Witness the Honorable JOHN A. PETERS, Judge of the said Court, and the seal thereof, at Portland, in said District, on the 18th day of August, A. D. 1923.

[L. S.] JOHN F. KNOWLTON, Clerk.

A true copy of petition and order thereon.

Attest: JOHN F. KNOWLTON, Clerk.

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Paris, Maine.
Agent for Stark Bros. Orchard and Nursery Stock.
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## NOTICE.

In the District Court of the United States for the District of Maine.

In the matter of IVA B. CUTTING, Bankrupt, } In Bankruptcy.

The Trustee in the above entitled case having presented his first account and asked that a first dividend be declared herein, IT IS ORDERED that a meeting of the creditors of said Bankrupt be held before me, at the office of the Referee, No. 49 Market Square, South Paris, on Wednesday, the 29th day of August, A. D. 1923, at 10 o'clock, to pass on said account and declare a first dividend in said estate. Trustee's accounts show a balance of $253.29 in his hands. First dividend will be paid within ten days of that date.

Aug. 14, 1923.

WALTER L. GRAY, Referee.

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## NOTICE.

The subscriber hereby gives notice that she has been duly appointed guardian of ANN MARIA DRESSER, late of Stow, in the County of Oxford, and given bonds as the law directs. All persons having demands against the estate of said ward are desired to present the same for settlement, and all indebted thereto are requested to make payment immediately.

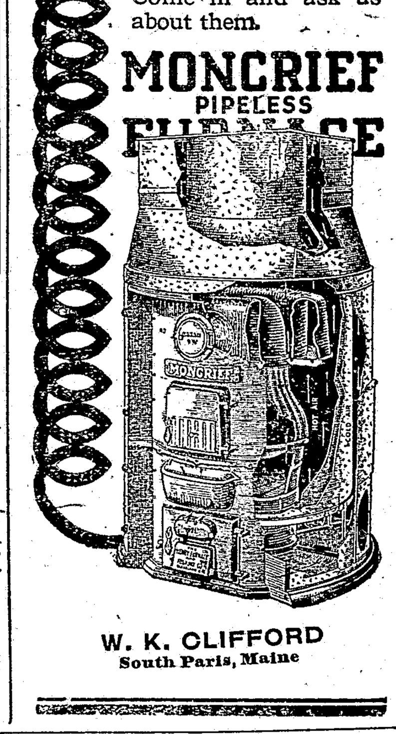
MAGGIE B. DRESSER,
Johnston, Pa.
C. K. CHAPMAN, Ag.t,
July 17, 1923. Lovell.
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**A Double Thrift Opportunity at the Merchant Store, Wednesday, August 22, During Our Dollar Day and Annual Anniversary Sale.**

Store Opens at 8:30 A. M. and Closes at 6:15 P. M.
For full particulars see large folders being passed

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COMBS, one lot unbreakable pocket and dressing combs, regular 29c and 50c Combs, at only 19c and 29c each.

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HAIR NETS, another lot of the double mesh Gainsborough 15c nets that we are going to put out at this time at 10c each or 3 nets for 25c. Here is where you get one more net for every 25c you invest. It's worth while, is it not?

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# Wednesday, Aug. 22

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Monday, August 20, Matinee and Evening

## "BRASS"

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Comedy—"Kick Out." ÆSOP'S FABLES.

Prices, Matinee 15c and 25c. Evening 15c and 35c.

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Tuesday, August 21
**WILLIAM RUSSELL**
IN

## "GOOD-BYE GIRLS"

A fast moving comedy-drama with the popular Fox star at his best as a producer of laughs and chuckles.

Comedy—"The Salesman." International News.

Prices 15c and 25c.

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Wednesday, August 22, Matinee and Evening
**BETTY COMPSON and CONWAY TEARLE**
in George Fitzmaurice's Production

## "THE RUSTLE OF SILK"

By COSMO HAMILTON.

The enthralling and unusual story of a lady's maid who won the love of a famous statesman. As it deals with life in the highest circles, it gives Fitzmaurice opportunity for marvelous sets and gowns.

Comedy—"The Artists." Topics of the Day.

Matinee, 15c and 25c. Evening, 15c and 35c.

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Thursday, August 23
An Allan Dwan Production

## "The Glimpses of the Moon"

Starring BEBE DANIELS

From the great Pictorial Review story and Appleton novel by Edith Wharton. A deluxe production with marvelous gowns, gorgeous locations and enthralling love scenes.

Featurette, U. S. Navy in Action." Pathe Review.

Prices 15c and 25c.

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Friday, August 24, Matinee and Evening
**DUSTIN FARNUM**
IN

## "Three Who Paid"

By GEORGE OWEN BAXTER

A western story packed with action from start to finish with a real he-man as the hero.

Chapter 5 of "The Oregon Trail."
International News.

Matinee 10c, 25c. Evening 15c, 25c.

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Saturday, August 25, Matinee and Evening

## "PAID BACK"

With an all star cast including **Gladys Brockwell, Stuart Holmes, Edna Murphy and Mahlon Hamilton.**

Romance where romance belongs—in the tropical quiet of a mid-Pacific Island—is the keynote of "Paid Back." But it isn't soft romance—it is dramatic to the 'nth degree.

Comedy—"Hold On." "Scenic, Hitting the Hot Shots."
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**NOTICE.**

The subscriber hereby gives notice that he has been duly appointed executor of the will of

JOSHUA E. THOMPSON, late of Lovell,

in the County of Oxford, deceased, without bond. All persons having demands against the estate of said deceased are desired to present the same for settlement, and all indebted thereto are requested to make payment immediately.

ROSELDA W. BLAISDELL.
July 17, 1923. Bristol, Maine.
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**NOTICE.**

The subscriber hereby gives notice that she has been duly appointed executrix of the will of

ALBERT H. ADAMS, late of Canton,

in the County of Oxford, deceased, without bond. All persons having demands against the estate of said deceased are desired to present the same for settlement, and all indebted thereto are requested to make payment immediately.

PERSIS E. ADAMS,
July 24, 1923. Canton, Me.
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**NOTICE.**

The subscriber hereby gives notice that he has been duly appointed administrator of the estate with will annexed of

HELEN COY, late of Norway,

in the County of Oxford, deceased, and given bonds as the law directs. All persons having demands against the estate of said deceased are desired to present the same for settlement, and all indebted thereto are requested to make payment immediately.

A. LINCOLN CHAPLIN,
July 17, 1923. Oxford, Maine.
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**NOTICE.**

The subscriber hereby gives notice that he has been duly appointed executor of the will of

SARAH A. CHASE, late of Buckfield,

in the County of Oxford, deceased, without bond. All persons having demands against the estate of said deceased are desired to present the same for settlement, and all indebted thereto are requested to make payment immediately.

FRANK W. ALLEN,
July 24, 1923. Buckfield, Me.
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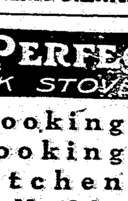
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**Traps Help to Reduce Number of Flies**

As a supplementary means of controlling flies, traps are of much value. To obtain freedom from the pests the best method is either to dispose completely of their breeding places or to treat these places with chemicals. Traps will help capture the flies that have escaped from destruction in other ways.

Fly trapping should begin early in the spring to be most effective. Although comparatively few will be caught then, their destruction means the prevention of the development of millions of flies by midsummer.

The same general principle is involved in nearly all fly traps, although they may appear quite different. The flies are attracted into a cage through a passage, the entrance of which is large and the exit small, so there is little chance of the flies, once in, finding their way out again. One kind is a window trap which catches the flies as they endeavor to leave or enter a building. The garbage can trap catches those that have entered garbage cans. The manure box trap retains the flies which are bred from infested manure put into a box. A bulletin issued by the United States Department of Agriculture for free distribution gives full directions for making and operating a number of kinds of fly traps.

The question of selecting the best bait for flies is an important one. It should be remembered that it is usually the fermentation which renders the material attractive to these insects, and that baits are most attractive during their most active period of fermentation. For the house fly, experiments indicate that a mixture of cheap cane molasses is mixed with three parts of water. The attractiveness becomes marked the second or third day.

Sticky fly papers are of some value in destroying flies which have gained access to houses, but they have marked limitations and numerous objectionable features. For use out of doors traps are much more effective and economical. Fly paper may be prepared in the following manner: Take two pounds of rosin, one pint castor oil and heat together until it looks like molasses. Take an ordinary paint brush and smear the hot preparation on any kind of paper—an old newspaper is good—and place several sheets about the room. A dozen of these may be made at the cost of one cent.

Probably the best poison bait for house flies is formaldehyde in milk, used at the rate of about two teaspoons of formaldehyde to a pint of a mixture of equal parts of milk and water. This is placed in places frequented by flies. A piece of bread or a sponge adds to the effectiveness. As formaldehyde is poison, this bait must be kept away from young children.

**Clean Refrigerator Thoroughly.**

So far as possible, refrigerators should be kept clean by preventive care. Wash the ice before it is put into the ice compartment and keep all food in clean and usually covered dishes. Never put food away hot. It is advisable to inspect the contents of the refrigerator frequently for spoiled food. Anything spilled should be wiped up immediately.

About once a week, at a time when it contains only a little ice, the refrigerator should be thoroughly cleaned. Remove the ice and all the food. Take out the racks, wash them in hot water containing soap or soda, rinse, and wipe dry. If possible, remove the drainpipe, scrub inside with a long-handled spiral brush or swab, and scald. If the pipe is not removable, it should nevertheless be thoroughly cleaned out, for it may contain not only solid matter from the melting ice, but also slime formed by the organisms that thrive in such a dark, cool, moist situation. The small trap in the drainpipe should also be cleaned, and the drain pan washed and scalded. Wash the inside of the refrigerator with hot water containing soap or soda, rinse, and dry thoroughly. A small pointed stick like a skewer may be used to clean the corners and seams.

So-called "iceless" refrigerators should be cleaned as regularly as those of the ice-box type—the shelves washed and sunned, and, if possible, two sets of curtains provided, so that each can be washed and sunned every other week. Food safes, bread boxes, and other receptacles for food should likewise be washed, scalded, and aired regularly to prevent mold and decay.

**Brine Surplus Vegetables.**

One of the oldest methods of preserving food is by salting it. When the rush of late summer work finds the housekeeper with more garden products on hand than she can can or dry, brining is the solution of her difficulties.

All that is necessary for brining is a crock or bucket, a brine made of two pounds of salt to one gallon of water, a cloth and plate or board, and a heavy weight all of which should be well scalded. For best results vegetables should be blanched in hot water or live steam before brining. For some vegetables a weaker brine will do. With string beans and a few other vegetables, a weaker brine with a little vinegar added will give satisfactory results.

Wash the product, blanch five minutes in boiling water or ten in live steam, and put it in the scalded crock; add the brine, put the cloth over the top and cover with plate or board. Place on this a scalded weight which is heavy enough to hold the vegetable below the surface of the liquid. Brine of the strength given will act as a preservative without causing any change in the vegetable.

When the vegetables preserved in this way are desired for use they may be soaked a few hours in fresh water to remove the salt. They are then ready to prepare for table use. Dandelions, beet tops, turnip tops, spinach, chard, kale, cabbage, string beans, green peas, and corn may be satisfactorily preserved by this method.

**Cost of Protein in Different Foods.**

Prices vary so much with place and season that definite statements about the cost of different materials are out of the question, say food economists of the United States Department of Agriculture. It is possible, however, to reckon how much one may pay at current prices for one material, say milk, eggs, or cheese, in order to obtain protein as cheaply as from another material, say meat at 50 cents a pound.

A pound of meat, medium fat, with an average amount of refuse (bones, trimmings, etc.,) supplies about two ounces of protein. Eight eggs yield practically the same amount. If eggs cost 72 cents a dozen, 48 cents' worth will furnish about as much protein as 50 cents' worth of meat. In other words, eggs at 72 cents a dozen are a little cheaper as a source of protein than meat at 50 cents a pound.

In the same way it may be reckoned that milk, which contains about one ounce of protein to the quart, might cost 12 1-2 cents a quart and provide protein at one-half the expense of meat containing the same amount at 50 cents a pound.

A pound of whole-milk cheese contains about four ounces of protein or a little more than twice as much as most meat, so that it might cost twice as much as meat and still be as economical a source of protein. If, as is often the case, it costs less than meat, its protein is, of course, more than twice as cheap.

**Hints on the Menu.**

Turnips should be served only with pork.

Apple sauce may be served with pork or duck.

Cranberries always with poultry.

Currant jelly with roast lamb or game.

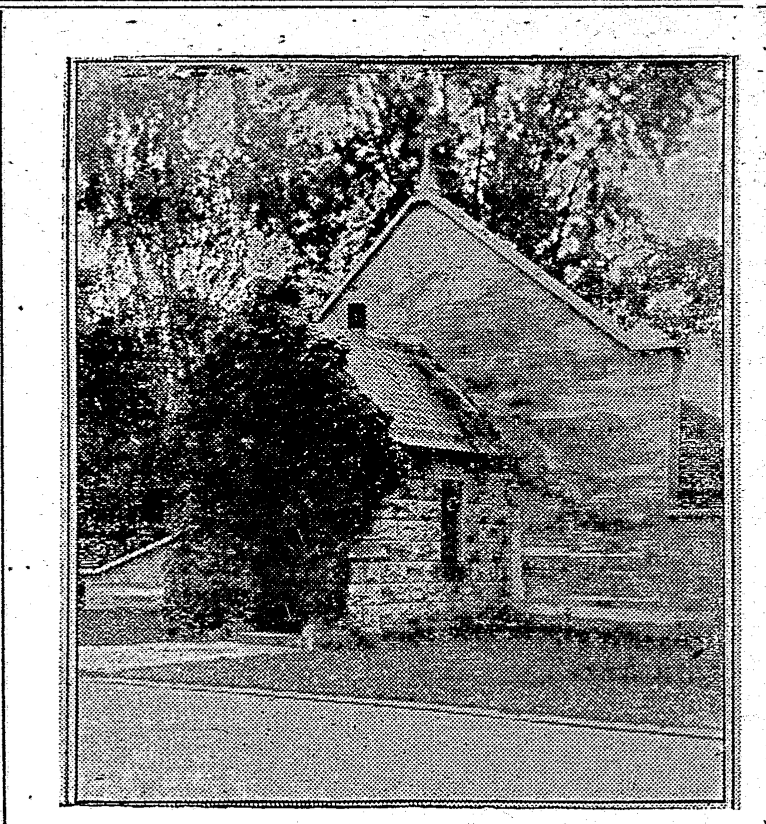
Guava jelly is also good with game.

If possible, a cream soup should not be served at the same meal with cream dessert.

Gingerbread is usually served with baked apples.

Marshmallows are being served with hot chocolate. When they dissolve they give a pleasant flavor to the chocolate.

To clean painted walls dip a damp sponge in soda and wipe the wall. Wash off with warm suds and wipe dry.



**Marion Cemetery Where President Harding was Buried.**

Photo shows the vault where the body was received upon arriving at the Marion Cemetery.



**Warren G. Harding.**

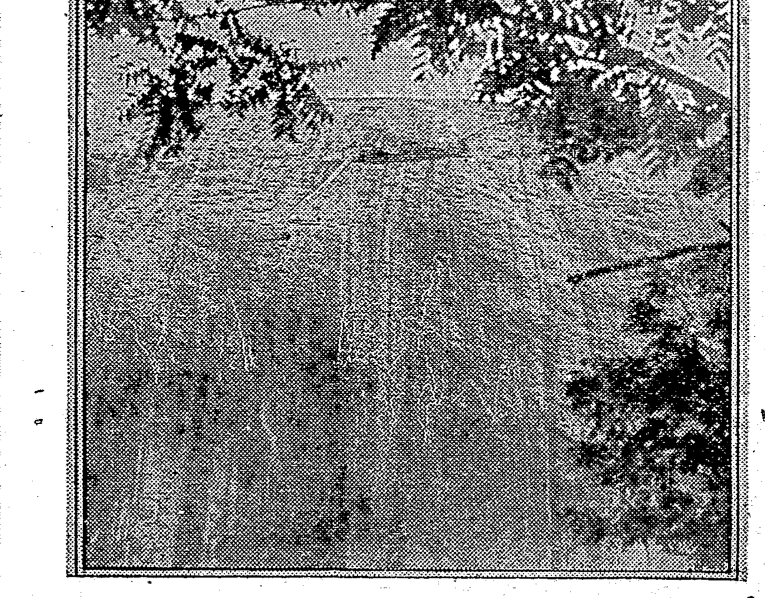
President Harding from a photo made aboard the Transport Henderson upon arrival at Seattle, Washington, just before succumbing to the fatal illness from which he died recently. Photo shows plainly the tired and over-exerted look which no doubt weakened him so that he could not rally when stricken with pneumonia.



**Calvin Coolidge.**

Calvin Coolidge who succeeded to the office of the President of the United States upon the death of Warren G. Harding at the Palace Hotel, San Francisco recently.



**The Memorial to the Southern Confederacy Begins to Take Shape.**

Outlines of some of the figures of the carving painted upon the rock by men lowered over the side at night from the shanty which has been built half way down the slope.

**Red Coral Long Traded In.**

Trade in red coral with the Far East began in very remote times. It is mentioned in a poem by the Chinese poet Y'ung Pai, who died in 117 B. C., and in the time of the Han dynasty. About 200 years later a traveler was sent from China to report on the coral fishery of the Mediterranean sea. At a later date it was introduced into the Chinese materia medica.

Reinach described the trade with the Celtic races in pre-Roman times. Specimens have been found in Britain and Ireland. The Romans stopped the trade with the Celtic races, however, in order to send the coral to India in exchange for frankincense, myrrh, and precious stones.

**Impressive Figures.**

In the city of New York today there are 33,000 manufacturing establishments, with $3,040,000,000 of capital, employing in round numbers 640,000 wage earners, who receive $806,000,000 annually for their services in turning out products having an aggregate value of between $5,000,000,000 and $6,000,000,000.

**Lake of Fire Ever Active.**

The great spectacle of Halemaumau, popularly known as the "Lake of Everlasting Fire," in Hawaii National park, is again to be seen. In May, 1921, the boiling lava rose slowly until within 40 feet of the rim of the crater. Then earthquakes opened subterranean vents and the surface subsided at the rate of a foot an hour until the whole lake disappeared, leaving a rumbling smoking chasm 1,000 feet deep and nearly 2,000 feet across. During this sinking the walls of the pit, lacking the support of the living lava, began to collapse. During the subsidence the old craters of Makapuhi and Napau became active, but did not continue long. They are now dried out again.

**Honor Memory of Byron.**

Recently the grammar school of Aberdeen unveiled a statue of Lord Byron, its most distinguished pupil, who died a hundred years ago.

The poet went north in 1792 and became a pupil of the grammar school in 1795, continuing there for three years. The places where he spent his vacations as a schoolboy are much visited by admirers.

## SOUGHT TO PRESERVE SOUL

**Ancient Egyptians Had Firm Belief That Another Life Followed the Mortal Career.**

When a person of importance died in ancient Egypt the embalming process was soon started. An incision was made with a stone knife—for some reason, metal knives were never used—and the viscera was drawn out. The brains, too, were removed. The organs were preserved in jars, which were inclosed in a box and put into the tomb with the mummy.

Strong embalming fluids were poured into the body, which was then steeped in natron and left for 70 days. After this it was washed and bound with strips of the finest flax, strong gum being used to secure the wrappings.

The mummy was first placed in a wooden coffin. The later was deposited in another coffin, which in turn was enclosed in a third, shaped in the form of a human being.

The idea was that the soul was free to wander through the abodes of the dead for a period of about 10,000 years, after which it was supposed to return and look for its earthly body. Transmigration was imagined to have taken place if the body decayed or was disturbed.

The elaborate precautions taken to preserve the dead in those far-off days arose from humble beginnings dating back thousands of years, when the dead were dried in the sun and placed in a vault containing a few flint instruments and a pot or two of food for sustenance of the departed's soul on its journey.

**Early Days of the United States.**

Virtuous early geographers of the United States did not confine their unflattering portrayals to lands across the sea. Benjamin Davies, in 1813, had this to say about his own country in "Manners and Customs in the United States."

"Travelers have observed a want of urbanity, particularly in Philadelphia; and in all the capital cities an eager pursuit of wealth, by adventurous speculations in commerce, by land-jobbing, banks, insurance offices and lotteries. The multiplication of inns, taverns and dram shops is an obvious national evil that calls loudly for legislative interference; for in no country are they more numerous or more universally baneful. Schools are spread everywhere through the well-settled parts of the country, yet the domestic regulation of children and youth is not duly regarded."

**Happy Condition.**

There are elderly people who feel that they have never quite grown up. They are afflicted (oh, pleasant affliction) with what may be termed the malady of youth. Even so eminent a person as James Russell Lowell apparently felt this way about himself, for one day while passing an institution bearing the sign, "For Incurable Children," he remarked to his companion, "There is where I belong."—Boston Transcript.

**Home-Grown Orange Blossom.**

At a wedding at Baildon, near Bradford, England, the orange blossom carried by the bride and worn on her gown was taken from a tree reared at her home from a pip of the first orange eaten by her as a child.

**When Electric Globes Pop.**

The strength of the glass prevents an electric light bulb from bursting. When a bulb is broken with a blow, the "pop" is the result of the fact that the interior was not filled with air.

## For Service.

The imported Guernsey bull, Tappan's Governor of Winthrop.

L. B. CARD,
3tf South Paris.

**NOTICE.**

Having bought the lawn mower grinding machine of Fred Durgin I am now ready to do your work.

Allen's Battery Service Station,
Skillings Ave., South Paris.
Tel. 278-2. 33-34

**State of Maine.**

To all persons interested in either of the estates hereinafter named:

At a Probate Court, held at Paris, in vacation, in and for the County of Oxford, on the first day of August, in the year of our Lord one thousand nine hundred and twenty-three. The following matters having been presented for the action thereupon hereinafter indicated, It Is Hereby Ordered:

That notice thereof be given to all persons interested by causing a copy of this order to be published three weeks successively in the Oxford Democrat, a newspaper published at South Paris in said County, that they may appear at a Probate Court to be held at Rumford, on the fourth Tuesday of August, A. D. 1923, at nine of the clock in the forenoon, and be heard thereon if they see cause.

**Paul Ikalainen** late of Paris, deceased; first account presented for allowance by Walter L. Gray, administrator.

**Rose J. Nevers** late of Norway, deceased; first account presented for allowance by Harry H. Nevers, administrator.

**Charles L. Russell** late of Buckfield, deceased; will and petition for probate thereof and the appointment of Martha O. Russell as executrix of the same to act without bond as expressed in said will presented by said Martha O. Russell, the executrix therein named.

**Paul Ikalainen** late of Paris, deceased; petition for order to distribute balance remaining in his hands presented by Walter L. Gray, administrator.

Witness, ARETAS E. STEARNS, Judge of said Court at Paris, this first day of August, in the year of our Lord one thousand nine hundred and twenty-three.

Attest:—ALBERT D. PARK, Register.
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**NOTICE.**

The subscriber hereby gives notice that he has been duly appointed administrator of the estate of

IVORY S. HARMON, late of Canton,

in the County of Oxford, deceased, without bond. All persons having demands against the estate of said deceased are desired to present the same for settlement, and all indebted thereto are requested to make payment immediately.

FRANCIS F. HARMON,
July 17, 1923. Canton, Maine.
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**NOTICE.**

The subscriber hereby gives notice that he has been duly appointed administrator of the estate with will annexed of

RUTH JOHNSON HARRIMAN, late of Hiram,

in the County of Oxford, deceased, and given bonds as the law directs. All persons having demands against the estate of said deceased are desired to present the same for settlement, and all indebted thereto are requested to make payment immediately.

JOHN F. DANA,
July 17, 1923. Portland, Maine.
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**NOTICE.**

The subscriber hereby gives notice that he has been duly appointed executor of the will of

MARY C. MANUEL, late of Rumford,

in the County of Oxford, deceased, without bond. All persons having demands against the estate of said deceased are desired to present the same for settlement, and all indebted thereto are requested to make payment immediately.

M. C. MORAN,
July 17, 1923. Brownville Jct.
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**NOTICE.**

The subscriber hereby gives notice that he has been duly appointed executor of the will of

EMMA I. CHAFFIN, late of Buckfield,

in the County of Oxford, deceased, without bond. All persons having demands against the estate of said deceased are desired to present the same for settlement, and all indebted thereto are requested to make payment immediately.

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July 17, 1923. Buckfield, Me.
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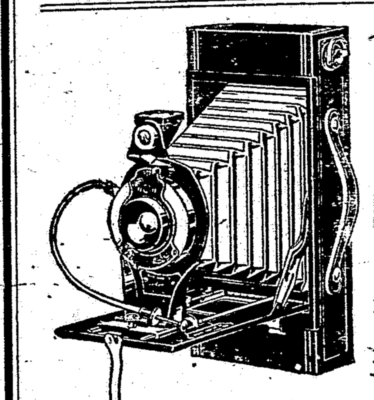
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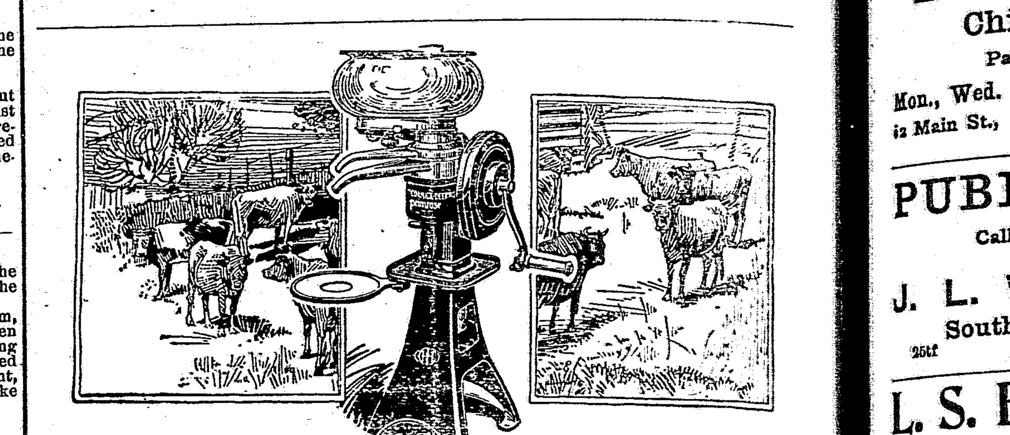


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